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Weevil trap results explained

Keith Harrendorf, back to camera, entomologist at the Delta Center at Portageville explains test results from a boll weevil trap being tested this year at several sites in the Bootheel. Results gained from the traps indicate that weevils are present before May and maintain a consistent population through September.

(Daily Standard photo)

Research benefits farmer

Charles Krews, a research specialist in agronomy (left photo), explains results of experiments using a spacing of seeds in planting rather than a quota per acre system. Several varieties were planted with different spacings to check effectiveness. Dr. Charles Baldwin plant pathologist (right photo), has conducted experiments with chemical weed controls without cultivation. A non- effective plot in the foreground shows a heavy growth of foxtail and smartweed. Other plots showed degrees of effectiveness of the controls tried.

(Daily Standard photos)

Farming research saves time, money for farmer

By TIM LUDWIG

PORTAGEVILLE — Science was brought to the farm for the more than 644 farmers and agri-businessmen today at the University of Missouri Delta Center annual field day.

Guests were shown dozens of tests ranging from cultivation techniques and special chemical applications to reduce field work time to crossbreeding of plants to produce special disease resistant varieties.

The field day, sponsored by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture, is held annually on the experimental Lee Farm, southeast of Portageville. Today's attendance was over a 100 more than last year's record participation, officials said.

Crops tested at the center are those of primary interest to Bootheel farmers. Test plots include soybean strains, cotton, milo, and field corn.

Typical of the testing that farmers were shown are plots of cotton grown without cultivation to test chemical weed control techniques.

This research is directed toward saving time and money and providing greater convenience for farmers who normally have to cultivate cotton extensively to reduce weed growth.

One soybean test dealt with increased yield produced by seed treatment with fungicides. Part of this test, conducted by Dr. Charles Baldwin, plant pathologist with the Delta Center, involves using a bacterium isolated by the Hershey Chocolate Co. from their candy bar. Laboratory tests by the company proved that the bacterium spurred plant growth, so Dr. Baldwin is testing it on soybeans in the field.

Highlights among the dozens of other tests conducted at the Delta Center include: soybean variety tests to compare yield, quality, and maturity, plant spacing studies to find best planting techniques breeding tests to develop desease resistance in cottonstrains, checks on planting and cultivation techniques for best yields and similar tests on varieties of corn and milo.

The final test shown on the wagonride tour of the research facility was a special boll weevil trap. Results of the trapping checks have shown a nearly steady weevil population from early May through the present time, discounting an expected drop in population after bolls opened.

Visitors were also shown some equipment especially modified for use on experimental plots. Notable among these is a 20- inch, four- row cotton picker, designed to harvest closer-than - normal planted cotton in yield experiments.

The picker has a four-row brush header, a special lint cleaner, holding bin and is expected to be modified further to include a sacking attachment by the 1975 harvest season.

Mississippi attorneys for murder suspect will fight extradition

CORINTH, Miss. (AP) — Lawyers for a Corinth physician charged with murdering his ex-wife in Missouri say they will fight extradition and prove their client was not at the death scene.

Dr. Norman Garrison Jr., 32, was arrested Monday after performing surgery at a hospital. He was charged with the Sept. 8 murder of Lee Ann Garrison at her home in Kennett, Mo.

Mrs. Garrison, who was divorced in June, was found shot once in the head and beaten about the face with a blunt instrument.

Attorneys for Garrison said several witnesses will be called to testify that Garrison was near the Pickwick Lake resort area on the Tennessee River near Corinth when his ex-wife was slain.

Ford convinced decision right

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford says Richard M. Nixon's acceptance of a pardon could be construed as an admission of guilt, but Ford's unyielding defense of the clemency has failed to still criticism of his decision.

Ford also said Monday night there were no secret reasons for the pardon and no secret deals with Nixon.

And he disclosed he is moving to allay concern among Watergate prosecutors about safeguarding Nixon tapes as potential evidence.

He said White House aides are negotiating with Watergate Special Prosecutor Leon Jaworski's staff to remove concerns about preserving for possible courtroom use the tape recordings and presidential documents deemed to be Nixon's property.

Responding to a barrage of pardon-related questions at his second broadcast news conference, Ford declared, "I am absolutely convinced ... I made the right decision in an effort, an honest, conscientious effort, to end the (Watergate) divisions and the turmoil in the United States."

Ford maintained that the former president had been "shamed and disgraced" by his resignation.

The President also said he had no inside information on Nixon's health at the time of the pardon, and although he was aware of published reports Nixon was ailing, "I was more anxious to heal the nation."

A number of congressional Democrats said they were not satisfied by Ford's defense of the pardon.

"Tonight, I thought there might be some light," said Rep. Jerome Waldie, D-Calif., a member of the House Judiciary Committee that recommended Nixon's impeachment, "but there was none."

Chairman Peter W. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., of the Judiciary Committee said it would have been better had Ford "pursued the judicial process to show that all are treated equally under the law."

But Sen. George D. Aikin, R-Vt., said Ford's explanation was "pretty straightforward and will make an impression on a lot of people who didn't agree with the pardon."

Reviewing his decision to pardon the former President, Ford went further than ever before in suggesting Nixon was guilty of impeachable offenses if not criminal misconduct. He said the unanimous Judiciary Committee vote for impeachment was "very persuasive evidence" and at another point declared, in response to a question, "the acceptance of a pardon, I think can be construed by many, if not all, as an admission of guilt."

If the pardon question dominated the 30-minute news conference, the topic of CIA intervention in the affairs of other countries seemed certain to stir international controversy.

Asked about CIA action against the since-overthrown Marxist government of Chile, Ford said the United States did act "to help and assist the preservation of opposition newspapers and electronic media and to preserve opposition political parties." He went on:

"I think this is in the best interests of the people of Chile, and certainly in our best interests."

In any case, he said he was "informed reliably that Communist nations spend vastly more money than we do for the same kind of

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Audit shows SMSU overpaid $1 million

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — More than $1.1 million was over appropriated to Southeast Missouri State University in 1973 and 1974 due to errors in enrollment projections and reporting, according to Missouri Auditor John Ashcroft.

In releasing the audit of the two fiscal years Monday, however, Ashcroft noted," we are not asserting that there has been any fraud, gross negligence or other improper expenditure of funds by the university."

In the 22-page audit report, Ashcroft also pointed out that university officials "had eliminated the most significant enrollment reporting errors by the spring semester of 1974."

According to the report, university officials misinterpreted guidelines of the commission on higher education and counted in their enrollment reports ineligible students who withdrew from courses prior to the fourth week of the semester. Contrary to established guidelines, students attending off-campus centers or branch campuses were also counted, the report said.

Officials at the Cape Girardeau institution were quoted by Ashcroft as justifying inclusion of the first category of ineligible students in the enrollment reports by contending they needed staff and facilities for all enrolled students during *the first weeks of the semester.*

Inaccurate enrollment projections by the state commission also contributed to the over appropriation of funds, the report said.

But Ashcroft noted, "this report has the benefit of perfect hindsight, a benefit not available to the commission at the time they made their projections. Nevertheless, the identification of projection errors should be useful in improving future projections."

The errors were responsible for an over appropriation in fiscal 1973 of between $596,000 and $657,000 and in fiscal 1974 of between $522,000 and $716,000, the report said.

The school, howver, did not spend $211,000 of its appropriation last year and that amount lapsed back to the state, in effect cutting back the over appropriated total the report said.

Definite figures on actual enrollment were not computed, a spokesman said, because the determination of over appproriated funds was based on a random, statistical sample of student records.

Previous enrollment audits at other schools uncovered reporting errors at Central Missouri State University totaling more than $1 million in a single year and inadequate records to perform an audit at Northeast Missouri State University.

Rice named to board of admissions

Bernard Rice, an attorney with the Sikeston law firm of Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal, has been appointed as a member of the Board of Admissions of the United States District Court, East District, for a three- year term.

The appointment was made by judge James H. Meredith and becomes effective immediately.

Rice was appointed along with Harold B. Treasure of Kennett to succeed Flake L. McHaney of Kennett and Hal. E. Hunter Jr., of New Madrid, whose terms of office expired Sept. 3.

The board reviews lawyers' applications, who seek to try cases in the court.

Burglars hit service station

BLOOMFIELD — The Stoddard County sheriff's department is investigating a Monday night burglary at Gillespie's Service Station near Aquilla in which small amounts of candy, soft drinks and tobacco were taken.

Sheriff's officers said entry to the building apparently was made through a back window.

Standard and university to offer course by newspaper

Readers of The Daily Standard soon will have the opportunity to read the work of six outstanding American scholars - authors and, if they are so inclined, to receive college degree credit for doing so.

This opportunity comes in the publication in this newspaper, beginning Sept. 28, of a series of 18 articles under the title of "In Search of the American Dream." The articles are part of the nationally- successful program called Courses by Newspaper. This is a program originated by the University of California at San Diego, funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, with additional assistance of the Exxon Educational Foundation, and distributed by Copley News Service.

The articles are being published with at least three audiences in mind:

1. Readers who would enjoy such writing for educational and/or recreational purposes, just as they would read other newspaper stories.

2. Readers interested in serious education on their own time.

3. Readers interested in degree credit, who would receive assistance through additional education kits and counsel of educators at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau. This university is cooperating with Courses by Newspaper, will conduct class sessions for those enrolled for degree credit and will administer an examination after the 18th article is published to those seeking degree credit.

More than 100 newspapers already have joined in the program to publish "In Search of the American Dream."

"In Search of the American Dream" will be

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It's Inside....

The Citizens Advisory Committee, established to determine the feasibility of a one- cent sales tax proposed for Sikeston, has first meeting. Turn to ... page 12.

A New Orleans doctor is reunited with her lost pet in Sikeston. Turn to ... page 3.

Former Charleston resident is named to the staff at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn. Turn to ... page 8.

..... And Outside

Variable cloudiness through Wednesday; low tonight around 60; high Wednesday 75-80; wind tonight light and variable.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy and mild Thursday through Saturday; highs near 80, lows in the 50s; little or no preciptation is expected.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24 - hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 75 and 54 degrees.

Sunset today .....7:04 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...6:43 a.m.
Moonset this eve.....7:46 p.m.
First Quarter .....Sept. 23

The planet Mercury is now between the moon and the sun. Its distance from the Earth is now a little more than that of the sun and it may be visible next week.

Dexter approves work at airport

DEXTER — The City Council took action Monday night to allow remodeling of Dexter Memorial Airport to continue as planned under the guidance of the airport board.

Approval was given to let the Sikeston architectural firm of Buchmueller, Whitworth and Foust, Inc., draw up plans for improvements. Approval was also granted to apply for state funds for this project and to set up a special account for the money obtained from the state.

A check for $3,375 is expected from the state soon.

It was pointed out that traffic at the airport has increased in recent years to the point that an average of 25-30 planes a week use the airport.

An ordinance was passed to change the length of time allowed to pass before city water bills are considered delinquent.

Water bills sent out the first of the month formerly were considered delinquent if not paid by the 20th of the month, with an extra dollar added to the bill.

"I don't think this is right," Alderman Doren Vancil said. "The bill should not be considered delinquent, nor should a dollar be tacked on the bill until the second notice."

The other aldermen agreed and increased the time allowed to pass before a bill is considered delinquent to 30 days.

The council also decided to send letters to area real estate dealers warning them to watch for unpaid water bills with the houses they are selling.

The lease the city held on a parking lot beside Stovall's store in Dexter expired Aug.

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Tuesday, September 17 — Citizenship Day. Rosh Hashana.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

The returning vacationers reports that they spent their vacation in a primitive place — fifty miles from an electric can opener.

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People who have raucous laughs are inclined to use them too often.

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A favor is seldom worth what it costs. The man granting it is apt to say that you are not as appreciative as you should be, and that you took it as a matter of course. Don't accept favors, if you can avoid it.

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Tell it like it is: More than the ordinary number of viewers probably tuned in to KTLA-TV to watch Ray Milland and Charles Laughton in a 1948 movie whose title, according to the TV- listings section of the Long Beach, California, Independent, Press- Telegram, was Big Cock.

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We have always admired Teutonic technology, but this one we've got to see to believe. As the headline in the Commercial and Financial Chronicle put it: "German Firm to Make Dick Duplicators."

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NATIONAL POLICE FORCE UNNECESSARY

Crime has reached such proportions in this country that if the trend is not reversed we may be forced to operate under a national police force.

This awesome statement was uttered recently by Attorney General William B. Saxbe in a speech to police chiefs from the country's largest cities.

Warning that we are losing the war against crime, Saxbe said: "The options are very limited as we face the future. If we go on as we are, there is every possibility that crime will inundate us. The nation then would be faced with the prospect of falling apart or devising a national police force in one final effort to restore domestic order."

And, as he put it, a national police force would lead to "total control over our lives."

In other words, if we can't control crime in this country under our Constitutional form of government, we must start down the road to a totalitarian form of government.

Certainly this is not necessary.

This increase in crime is undoubtedly due to the permissive age in which we are living. Punishment is reduced or eliminated entirely. Trials are delayed — sometimes indefinitely. Less and less bond is required for those charged with crimes. Gradually we are moving away from a standard under which criminals are punished for their acts, to procedures whereby hardened criminals are permitted to enjoy freedom without bond, on probation or parole. And, in many instances, they continue to murder and rob innocent citizens.

Now is the time for a turnabout. Not to a national police force but to a respect for law and order beginning in the home. Parents must demand obedience. Enforcement officials and the judiciary must strengthen their reaction to crime beginning with even the smallest infractions.

The honest upright citizens in the country must give the police full cooperation and back those legislators who fight for integrity in the offices they hold.

The fight against crime is your war. We must fight it to secure our freedom.

"You're in on This Too, Pal!"

TOMORROW
SEPTEMBER 18 — WEDNESDAY

CHILE: NATIONAL HOLIDAY. Sept. 18. Gained independence from Spain, 1818.

SAMUEL JOHSON'S BIRTHDAY. Sept. 18. English author and lexicographer, born, Lichfield, Sept. 18, 1709. Died, London, Dec. 13, 1784.

RAMADAN [FAST BEGINS]. Sept. 18. Muslim festival begins at sunset on previous day. Month of fasting follows. Keyed to lunar calendar, the 1st day of Ramadan may vary by one day.

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POT CALLS THE KETTLE BLACK

The chairman of the Republican State Committee has charged that Sen. Cason, (Democrat) and some other Democratic state officers are using their office postal expense account to mail out letters that are actually campaign propaganda.

It's another case of the "pot calling the kettle black".

Every day or so the Appeal receives a letter from Republican State Auditor Ashcroft, a candidate for reelection, telling how efficient he and his force are, etc., etc., etc. Neither is Gov. Bond above praising his Republican administration and fellow Republican state officers in those Governor's news stories he sends out, at state expense.

Both sides would do the taxpayers a favor if they'd confine themselves to current problems, and something more constructive than praising party members in the hope they'll gain a vote for their party - or themselves.

—Paris Appeal

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HOW TO GROW UP BEFORE COLLEGE

Lost in the suffle of gossip of Watergate are numerous items of considerable importance, if only someone would pay attention.

There is, for example, the report just issued by a panel appointed by Richard Nixon and known by the impressive title of "The President's Science Advisory Panel on Youth."

Ordinarily this report could be dismissed as casually as most government treatises on youth. But this one is a bit different. Its chairman is Dr. James F. Coleman, eductor and professor of sociology at the University of Chicago.

Dr. Coleman is generally regarded as a sound and sensible, though frequently daring professor in the field of education. The fact that he has three sons of his own contributes to his expertise.

In the panel report for which he was responsible, Dr. Coleman recommends that America's youth drop out of school for a year before entering college, and learn something of job responsibility, and how to cope with the world.

"They should take the year out between high school and college and work at a serious full- time job to bring them more quickly to maturity," Dr. Coleman said in releasing the panel's report.

The idea is to give the young adult the opportunity to support himself during that year; and if he continues to live at home, to contribute to the family finances. Usually, he becomes a man in a hurry.

The panel report points out that today's young people mature physically much earlier than their parents and grandparents did, but the social independence comes later than ever before.

"I don't know of any society that has kept young people from serious contact with adults as fully as our society does today," Dr. Coleman said.

The year - out- of - school before college idea sounds practical, but there is a danger here.

The youth may become so attached to his interim job that he will never get back to college; and with more and more requirement on a college diploma in business and today's permanent job market, he may wind up in a mediocre slot for life.

But times are changing when financing for a college education was easier for parents in the years before inflation forced up the costs, so the work- ethic may be more of a necessity. This is nothing new to those of an older generation who worked their way through college because they had no other choice.

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Even a mosquito doesn't get a slap on the back until he begins working.

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DATA PROCESS CARDS CALLED RECYCLABLE BY SPECIALISTS

The nation.s top corporations annually turn out more than 60 million pounds of recyclable data processing cards and paper which, at six cents a pound, would be worth about $3,600,000, according to Chaker Fadel who is in charge of paper collection at The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.

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NORTH SLOPE CLEANUP

Years ago, before the fragile nature of the tundra and northern vegetation was well understood, oil exploration crews on the North Slope of Alaska were not unduly concerned about leaving empty barrels and other wastes behind them in a wilderness that most of mankind would never see. Today, the situation is different, and oil companies are rectifying past mistakes. The way they are doing it is another illustration of how technology and human ingenuity can respond to environmental needs.

A press release from Anchorage, Alaska, shows a monstrous truck -- a "Rolligon" by name -- loaded with empty 50- gallon drums apparently crushing a man to death as it rolls over him. Strangely, however, the "victim" looks as if he is placidly studying the flowers of the tundra on which he is lying. The "Rolligon" rolls on, leaving him unscathed and the tundra virtually untouched. A fleet of these trucks was developed to serve a specific purpose. They were employed by a group of oil companies during the summer of 1971 in a clean- up project covering 1,125 square miles of the Arctic tundra. The giant trucks rolling on their inflated, rubber- bag tires and driven by Eskimo crews picked up 5,680 barrels and 15 tons of assorted debris. The $120,000 project restored the tundra to its original appearance, and no tracks were left behind as evidence of the clean-up job. Under new rules, imposed by the industry in the fall of 1969, all barrels, wire and unburnable debris are brought into central stacking locations, and combustible materials are burned as they are used.

The U.S. desperately needs the oil and natural gas which could be made available from the North Slope area of Alaska. Concern, such as evidenced in this clean- up project, provides further and convincing proof that we can indeed develop Alaskan oil resources that we must have and, at the same time, leave unharmed the delicate Arctic region.

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An Irish attorney was making the best of a rather shaky case when the judge interrupted him on a point of law. "Surely," he asked, "your clients are aware of the doctrine de minimis non curat lex?"

"I assure you, my lord," came the suave reply, "that, in the remote and inhospitable hamlet where my clients have their humble abode, it forms the sole topic of conversation."

The improbable Irish

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COMPETITION ALIVE AND WELL

There is plenty of evidence that competition is still very much alive even though the marketplace is dominated by a web of government controls. In many instances, the evidence takes the form of new promotional ideas to attract customers.

Sometime ago, the publication "Travel Weekly" told of how a company operating a chain of motor hotels in 28 states planned to offer trading stamps to its guests. While this company, by any standard of measurement, is already an outstanding success in its field -- 100 motel properties with 10,000 rooms -- its management is fully conscious of the fact that if it is to remain one of the top 15 hotel and motel chains in the nation, it must continue to work to attract the traveling public. It is utilizing trading stamps as a way of saying "Thank you for patronage." Of course, as has been the case with merchants using trading stamps, there will be those who raise the old cry that promotion means higher prices never having seemed to learn that promotion is what keeps the wheels of any enterprise turning and, in the long run, means better service, higher volume and lower prices.

The principle of mass merchandising applies to the motel business just as it does to any other business. Every enterprise must use some form of promotion to attract customers and stay in business. Trading stamps have proven one of the most economically sound and, from the standpoint of the customer, one of the most beneficial of all promotions. As has often been pointed out, when trading stamps are given, the consumer receives something of value instead of nothing.

The main point, however, is that promotion and advertising are a solid part of the foundation of a business system that has given the U.S. an unparalleled level of abundance.

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IS THE U. S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY GUILTY?

There was an interesting development a few days ago in the office of the U. S. District Attorney for the western half of Missouri. The U. S. Attorney is Bert C. Hurn. He is a Republican and there is nothing wrong with that.

Mr. Hurn had an assistant by the name of Patrick E. Eldridge and he, too, is a Republican. That, too, is all right.

But when Mr. Eldridge resigned his post he had some comments that do not speak too well of his boss, Mr. Hurn. Mr. Eldridge charged in no uncertain terms that Mr. Hurn was politically motivated in his long grand jury investigation of the administration of former Governor Warren E. Hearnes.

He had some rather strong words about his former boss and his comments are what many Democrats over Missouri have believed were behind the Hurn investigations.

Mr. Eldridge said:

"I feel your persistence in the grand jury investigation and possible indictments of individuals with the former Democratic administration of the state of Missouri is purely political in nature.

"Your preoccupation with the investigation of the former Democratic administration has, I honestly believe, prevented you from seeing what really goes on in this office, and I refer to the dedication and work of all assistants on their assigned cases."

The Stanberry Headlight

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AND YOUR CAR, TOO

The Minneapolis Star

The furious debate over the impact and implications of the movie about exorcism seems to have died down. Still, a secondary report on the fad is, we submit, worth passing on. What, a self-annointed authority was asked, happens when the rite fails? The answer: "You are repossessed."

H.L. Hunt

LESSONS FROM GULAG

Alexander Solzhenitsyn's masterpiece, Gulag Archipelago, has been close to the top of U.S. best- seller lists for many weeks. It is encouraging that so many of our citizens are reading this book. Not only will it inform them as to the true nature of communism, Gulag can also teach us all the characteristics of a totalitarian state so that whenever we see any of these things in our own society we can fight them with all our strength.

Solzhenitsyn makes clear that when a nation turns from God and tries to conduct its public business without Him, that nation is in deep trouble. Countless Russians still practice Christianity in secret, but the official ideology denies God.

Because of this denial, totalitarianism denies the worth of the individual. The individual person has no value except to serve the state. Human life is viewed from a utilitarian standpoint. Those who serve no immediately and materially useful purpose, such as the unborn, the elderly, and the handicapped, are seen to have no right to live.

The family unit loses its sacredness. Marriage has no religious character; divorce is simply a matter of convenience. Law is dependent on the whim of the men in power. Justice has no meaning in a totalitarian society.

Privacy is lost as the government intrudes into every area of life. Bureaucratic orders regulate the most insignificant details of business and even of personal life. Solzhenitsyn describes these things in their full horror in Soviet society. We can see their beginnings in our own society. We must dedicate our lives to fighting these evils. HLH

Inside Labor

by Victor Riesel

Ford Badly Advised: Summits Won't Prevent Sudden Serious National Unemployment

WASHINGTON — Jerry Ford told the labor chiefs when literally he went eyeball to eyeball with them in the White House East Room the other day and then lunched with them on chicken in the State Dining Room that he wanted the "unvarnished truth." As he said later privately, he and his top advisers sure got it.

One union leader said something stinks. Another referred to parts of the anatomy which make up most of the expletives deleted from news reports. But it was the bouncy longshoremen's chief Teddy Gleason, who by imperishable parable, put his finger o the crux of today's chilling crisis.

And that is -- the specter of mass unemployment. How much joblessness will be needed to cool inflation? It must first be understood that Teddy has captured the candor which the White House press office has found so elusive.

Ask Gleason how he is, and he'll say "perpendicular," – if he's standing. So we find him during the afternoon labor mini- summit session, declaring that he doesn't want another "WPA" (the Roosevelt- depression- era sometimes ersatz job- making Work Progress Administration). Why?

"Because they don't make strong enough shovels these days," added Gleason.

The reference was to the charge that WPA employes reported in to work during the morning and leaned on their shovels most of the day. Gleason then explained why his International Longshoremen's Assn. (AFL-CIO) had fought for and won a guaranteed annual wage which assures a dock- walloper $16,000 a year whether he works or not and costs the New York shippers about $40 million annually.

In effect, Gleason said he expects heavy depression- type joblessness around the nation and on June 28 he and his ILA high council had signed a new contract protecting their pier workers for another three years. In effect, Gleason was scoffing at the President's announcement that some $415 million would soon be spent to create 85,000 public service jobs.

Who will take such municipal and state "jobs" at $100 a week or less? Who will set the pay? How can this WPA- type work offer wages -- $7,500 or $10,000 a year which heads of families, members of AFL-CIO unions, professionals would need?

How could someone such as Jerry Wurf, the oratorical hammer thrower, permit such WPA workers to replace his own unionized state, county and municipal employees and undercut the wage scales for which he and his local officials have paralyzed whole cities, vast garbage collection and even police departments with crippling strikes?

Obviously, this, far more than what appeared to some observers to be silly attacks on the budget and tax systems, is the sheer gut of today's inrushing economic disaster. The national labor chiefs talk much about public service jobs -- but apparently don't really want them for their own members.

There are about 500,000 construction workers jobless across the nation. Despite what labor has said officially about the need for a million public service jobs, none of the building and construction unionists will be permitted to undercut their $10 and $15 an hour union brethren by taking $2.50 an hour WPA repair work.

Thus, while it's true that this summitry gives the President a chance to meet many labor chiefs for the first time, and get some into the White House where they've never been and eat in the State Dining Room for the first and probably the last time, the mini- summits are futile.

And so will be the series of 45- minute mini- mini- summits with each group bringing its final report to President Ford on the eve of the giant mass gathering Sept. 27 and 28 probably in the Washington Hilton ballroom.

This project is imagery without substance. It will hurt the President. It will hurt the nation. It is reminiscent of the post- World War II labor-management conference run by President Truman and that gentle genius, the late Prof. George Taylor of the Wharton School of Business.

It ended with twin anti-climaxes despite the star-studded cast -- far more celebrity- laden than most of today's mini and major summits. One, it concluded that binding arbitration is a fine way to settle emergency strikes. Two: the then incumbent Teamster's president, the late Dan Tobin, in a hog- calling voice, accused the industrialists of stealing his overcoat.

The labor- management conferences of the late Jack Kennedy and Lyndon Johnson talked themselves to death.

So will today's parleys. When they wind up during the month's final days, inflation will be hotter, retail and wholesale prices will be higher, unemployment will be rocketing, public anger will be louder -- and no solutions will have been offered. Thus, the sheer publicizing of the inflation plague is self-defeating. It should all have been done behind the scenes. there should have been a series of end- to- end, closed- door, hard- talk showdowns.

This positively has not happened. There has been some talk about a productivity committee. And some cabinet members have told labor leaders, off the record, they'll keep in touch "afterwards."

But restraint, the key to it all, can only have been agreed on in private. President Ford and his counselors, still green to Washington, just have not gone in for secret diplomacy.

Instead, they put everybody on television and on the record, so the militancy was and is inevitable. And you might say "ir- retreatable." No one can agree on charity wages, in public. The show should never have been put on the road.

Art Buchwald

'WILL 10 ANGELS STEP FORWARD?'

WASHINGTON -- When President Ford pardoned Richard Nixon he said in his speech, "I do believe the buck stops here and that I cannot rely on public opinion polls to tell me what is right. I do believe that right makes might, and that if I am wrong 10 angels swearing I was right would make no difference . . ."

Gabriel came on the Cloud 9 drill field, blew his horn, and all the angels lined up in close order formation at attention.

"All right," he barked, "I want 10 volunteers front and center."

No one moved.

"Aw, c'mon guys. This is a very important mission. It's going to bring you down to earth."

Still no one stepped forward.

Gabriel was becoming angry. "If no one volunteers, I'm going to pick 10 of you willy- nilly from the group."

"What do we have to do?" one of the angels in the back row asked.

"I want 10 angels to go down to Washington, D.C."

"You must be crazy, Gabriel. An angel can get killed there."

"I know it's dangerous. That's why we're offering everyone hazard pay. But this is a very important job, and the future of the United States of America depends on it."

"What's the mission?" an angel asked.

"We want 10 of you to go to the White House and swear that Gerry Ford did the right thing when he pardoned former President Nixon," Gabriel replied.

"Are you out of your blinkin' mind?" an angel cried. "Why would we want to swear to something like that?"

Gabriel said, "Mr. Ford needs all the support he can get. This pardon thing has him in a box, and if he could get 10 angels to support him it might turn the country around."

An Angel said, "Anyone that gets involved in that can of beans has to be bonkers."

Gabriel protested, "But we have to show mercy. That's our job. Surely out of the many thousands of you up here, there are 10 angels willing to swear that Gerry Ford's decision was the right one."

Someone said, "Gabriel, there's a long- distance call for you."

"I'll do it," a deep voice said on the phone.

Gabriel went white. "I'm sorry, Lucifer. I don't think you'd be right for this mission. But I appreciate your volunteering."

"I know more about this thing than anyone else," Lucifer said.

"We're well aware of that. But there is a certain credibility problem. There are some people who think the Watergate thing was your idea."

"You're always putting me down, Gabriel. You said you wanted 10 angels to swear Mr. Ford was right. Well, I'm offering my services, and I don't even want hazard pay."

"I'm sorry, Lucifer. The Boss wants you to keep away from Mr. Ford. Ever since you erased the 18½ minutes of tape, He thinks it best that you stay out of the White House."

Lucifer said in disgust, "Boy, you make one mistake around here and no one lets you forget it."

Washington-Merry-Go-Round

by Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: The Confessions of a Mafia Lieutenant

WASHINGTON — We have obtained the confessions of a Mafia Lieutenant, with a memory as long as his police record.

He is Eugene Ayotte, who used to be known in the Detroit underworld as "Johnny A." Now he is hiding under an assumed identity conferred upon him by the Justice Dept.

He has told us about his life in the Mafia, the shadowy society to which he had sworn loyalty. It is a story of gangland lovenests and hangouts, of bizarre crimes and corrupt police.

It is also the story of murder, of men garroted with wire and encased in concrete. At least one victim, according to Johnny A, would up in a Detroit freeway. Thereafter, Mafia men would say of a missing hood, with grisly humor, that "he's part of the freeway."

Like the late Joe Valachi whose Mafia confessions made headlines in the 1960s, Ayotte's revelations ring true. Federal prosecutors vouch for his reliability. The Senate crime files and other records verify his memory for names and details.

Johnny A worked for the Detroit Mafia, a criminal empire that embraces everything from bookies to blackmail, narcotics to the numbers racket -- virtually every enterprise that produces an illegal coin.

A council of dons rules the multimillion dollar empire through might. They have no competition; serious rivals are either dead or intimidated. Now Ayotte is on the run from them. For the old crime lords would like to shut Ayotte up.

But Ayotte is still talking, first to the prosecutors and now to us. He remembers Anthony J. Zerilli; identified by the Justice Dept. as a "Big Man" in the Mafia, was a swinger with the ritziest lovenest in town.

The mob chief owned a posh restaurant with a small hidden office which opened on a luxurious suite, complete with two bedrooms, a bar, "beautiful carpet and furniture, colored telephones, the works."

Both bedrooms, according to Johnn A, "had round beds, beautiful, and mirrors all around, even the ceiling. It looked like Tony Zerilli was a little weird ..., liked to watch himself with the broads ... From inside or outside, you couldn't even tell the place was there ... Only the top (Mafia men) would be allowed in."

Love and death sometimes went together. Ayotte tells of a Mafia punk, named Ubai "Roy" Calabresse, who made a mistake in recruiting a prostitute. He introduced the girl to drugs and then "put her out on the street."

Unhappily for Calabresse, she was the daughter of a Mafia section leader. Two men grabbed Calabresse, "wired him up" -- the Mafia term for garroting -- and left him in the trunk of an abandoned car. As the final gesture, a pig was trussed and strangled, and then delivered to one of Calabresse's hangouts.

"This was a warning to anyone who knew who killed Calabresse not to squeal," explained Johnny A. "I knew Roy. I used to drink with him ... at the Falcon Street Show Bar. (But) you just don't question too much these things as it's not healthy."

When a gambler disappeared after giving information to the police, they searched high and low for him. They even descennded upon the fabulous farms of Mafia leaders like Angelo Meli. But Ayotte could have told them the place to look was a Detroit freeway, then under construction. The missing gambler had been mixed with the freeway cement.

One of Ayotte's criminal specialties was arson. Once, he contracted to burn a vacant building so the owner could collect fire insurance. As an economy measure, he hired a cheap "torch man" named "Smokey" to set the blaze.

Smokey came back from the conflagration in terrible shape, "with his hair burned half off, his eyelashes gone." Ayotte observed sourly that Smokey's "partner set the match to burn the gasoline and it burned before Smokey could get out."

Next time, Ayotte hired a professional, known as "Butchy," who had enlisted remnants of Detroit's old "Purple Gang" into a crack, Cleveland- based pryo team. They brought to the job "gunpowder, fuses, gas with a chemical so as to leave no trace ... They brought enough to use on a dozen joints."

They burned down a building, another "insurance job," for an owner Ayotte knew as "Singing Sam." "The place," recalled Ayotte with professional satisfaction, "was a total."

Although Johnny A has now switched sides, he still chuckles over how Secret Service agents overlooked evidence right under their noses when they arrested Joe Yoppolo, a prominent Toledo gangster otherwise known as "Big Joe Yap," on counterfeiting charges.

Ayotte happened to be on the phone to Yoppolo while the feds were searching his premises. Afterwards, Big Joe Yap told him the agents missed a stolen $1,000 bond in plain view on the china cupboard and a heisted, full- length sable coat in the front closet. "That sable stood out like a sore thumb," grinned Yoppolo, according to Ayotte.

Like a character from an old George Raft movie, Johnny A told us his story -- an insider's eye view of a nationwide criminal conspiracy that drains billions of dollars a year from the public.

We'll publish another installment in a future column.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	7¼	8¼
Bk Bldg & Equip	10¼	10¾
Anheuser Busch	22¾	23¼
Martha Manning	1¼	1¾
Chase Nat	7¾	8¾
Olson Bros	1	1¼
Pabst Brewing	13¼	13¾
Scottish Inns	1½	1¾
Wetterau	11½	12¼
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		17½
American Tel & Tel		40½
American Motors		5
Chrysler		12¼
Columbia Gas		16
Eaton Mfg		22½
Ford Motors		38¼
General Motors		36¾
Interstate Brands		5
Malone & Hyde		14¼
Mid South Util		9½
J. C. Penney		46½
New England Elect		12½
Occidential Pet		7½
WalMart Stores		14½

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

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Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Wednesday:

6,000 hogs, 500 cattle and 100 sheep.

Hog receipts 7,000 head. Butchers 50-75 lower.

Sows steady to 50 lower.

US 1-3 200-250 lb butchers 34.50-34.75; US 1-2 210-240 lb 34.75-35.00; US 1-3 170-180 lbs 29.00-29.50.

US 1-3 300-350 lb sows 28.2529.00; 350-600 lbs 27.00-27.50.

Boars under 250 lbs 29.0029.50; over 250 lbs 23.50-23.75.

Cattle receipts 1,500 head.

Salughter steers and heifers steady to 50 lower.

Cows and bulls steady.

Choice 1000-1100 lb slaughter steers yield 2-4 40.50-42.00; 800950 lbs 38.00-39.50.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat futures prices were firm in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today, but corn and soybeans were irregular.

On the opening, Chicago wheat was 1 to 4 cents a bushel higher, September 4.25; Gulf hard red wheat was not traded; corn was unchanged to 3 lower, September 3.36 1/2; oats were 1 1/4 to 6 lower, September 1.60 1/2 and soybeans were 1 lower to 1 1/2 higher, September 7.62 1/2.

School board to apply for transport aid

CHARLESTON — The Charleston R-1 School District board of education has agreed to apply for a grant of up to $5,000 to be used for the district's welfare transportation program.

The grant application will be made for Title IV funds under the Social Security Act for aid to dependent children from the district needing transportation to the Missiouri Division of Welfare Office at Charleston. The board made the decision to apply for funds at a meeting last week.

Currently, the district is paying for transportation of ADC children in need of medical, psychiatric or other services. The grant will allow for up to 75 per cent funding of $5,000.

In other business, the board received two bids for repair of the hail- damaged high school roof. Board officials plan to negotiate with the insurance company for cost figures before accepting a bid.

Drury Tile Co. of Cape Girardeau submitted a bid of $8,960 for a new roof with a 20- year guarantee. A second bid of $3,751.55 was received from Joseph M. Reeves, a representative of Texas Refinery Corp., for repairs only

Joseph Caton was hired by the board as counsel for grades kindergarten through 12, and Miss Mary Atwater was contracted to replace Mrs. Charlotte Mallory as social studies instructor at the high school.

The board announced a tentative date for the dedication of the high school athletic complex on Oct. 18.

The complex will be dedicated to John Harris Marshall, a former football coach and teacher who also served as high school principal and superintendent of the district.

The board also approved a proposal presented by Mrs. Eileen Ochse, Glenn White and Keith Schaffer for a character education program. The program would give an alternative education program to youth, concentrating on the students and their needs.

Letter reunites lost pet and New Orleans owner

Dr. Barbara Schroeder of New Orleans had a happy reunion with her pet Molly Saturday in Sikeston after more than a month's separation.

Dr. Schroeder, a cancer research bio- chemist with Tulane University, was involved in an accident Aug. 9 near Charleston. Her car was destroyed and the bus line she had to travel on would not allow Molly to make the trip, so, temporary accomodations for the dog were found at the Sikeston Pound until Dr. Schroeder could return.

Molly had other ideas about staying with the other dogs at the pound and before Dr. Schroeder could return, Molly dug her way out.

Since then, Sikeston Humane Officer Bob Beardsley has been trying to locate the dog all over town. A letter, written to the Daily Standard by Dr. Schroeder described Molly in detail and led to the eventual reunion.

A dog fitting Molly's description was seen several times at the Sikeston Country Club. Last week, Beardsley received a call from a woman golfer at the club who was sure she recognized Molly from the letter. Beardsley made positive identification and the chase was on. Beardsley reported to the Standard that one afternoon he and four boys tried to capture Molly for more than three hours without result. Molly just doesn't like men and she managed to elude all capture attempts. Maybe she was happy with the table scraps she sometimes got from friendly staff members.

Dr. Schroeder was notified that Molly had been found and she and an associate, Anne Larsen, who had suggested the letter to the Standard, arrived in Sikeston Saturday. They went with Beardsley to the country club to find Molly. Dr. Schoreder's first whistle got Molly's attention and, according to Beardsley, the second brought the dog in at a gallop.

Dr. Schroder said Molly would not stop "talking" to her after they got back together. The trio returned to New Orleans Saturday.

Molly tells her tale

Dr. Barbara Schroeder of New Orleans listened Saturday as Molly, her part Lewellyn Setter, whined and barked about her experiences on the loose in Sikeston since an accident separated them here more than a month ago. (Daily Standard photo)

Remodeling projects begin

BLOOMFIELD — Construction has begun on two remodeling projects at the Stoddard County Courthouse, according to Stoddard County Clerk John Marvin Capps.

Capps said the ceilings in the old building are being lowered and new electrical wiring is being installed at a cost of $11,928.

Richey Electric Co. of Dexter submitted low bid for the electrical work of $6,428. The successful bidder on the ceiling project was Busy Bee Lumber Co. of Dexter with a bid of $5,500.

Capps said the work is expected to be completed by Nov. 1.

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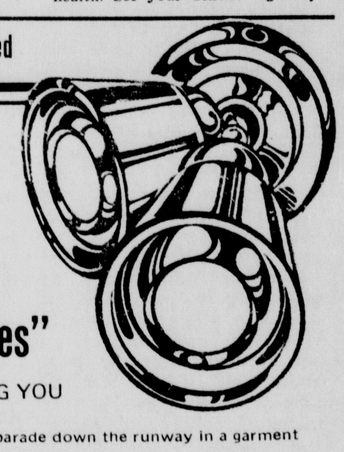
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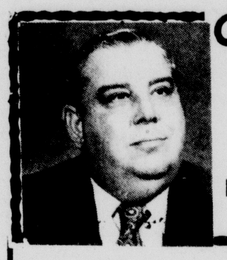
Real Estate
By CHARLES MITCHELL
REALTOR

BUY OR SELL FIRST

Should you buy your new home or sell your present one first?

This situation arises consistently when families move up into a larger home in the same general area. In this case, it makes sense to sell the present home first.

The secret, however, is to sell the house under the conditions that the papers will pass and title will be conveyed in, say, 90 or 120 days. This way, you avoid the possibility of owning two homes at the same time.

True, it puts you in a position of being forced to buy another home, but this was your original intention anyway. With a concerted erfort, one should be able to buy the right property in the 90 or 120 days allotted.

Also, you avoid the possibility of panic- selling your original home (a good way to lose money), plus you'll know exactly how much money will be available for a down payment on the new house.

(Editor's Note: Mr. Mitchell is Past President of the Sikeston Board of Realtors and is currently serving as Vice- President of the Missouri Association of Realtors.)

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Prayer for today

from the Upper Room

"Man looks on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart." (I Samuel 16:7)

PRAYER: Our Father, help us that we not draw the curtain of exclusiveness about us. May we learn to look upon the heart, rather than upon outward appearance, and have the Master's singleness of purpose -- to bring others into the fold. Amen.

Bernie float wins first prize

DEXTER — Dexter Jaycee president R. J. Riddle announced the three winning floats following a Monday evening parade which opened the 1974 Jaycee- sponsored Stoddard County Fair.

The $100 first prize was awarded to the Bernie High School chapter of Future Farmers of American for a float titled "Wildwood Flower," based on, Jim Stafford's popular song, "Wildwood Weed". The float featured a live pig and, as in the song, a boy sitting on a windmill.

The second prize of $75 went to Dexter Boy Scout Troop 70 for a float featuring a "back to nature" theme. Props included scouts seated around a real campfire, tree limb decorations and boys dressed as Indians.

The third prize of $50 went to the Dexter Young Farmers Wives for a float called "Then and Now", showing the different lifestyles of farm women of today and yesteryear

"This was the biggest parade we've ever had," Riddle stated after crowds had lined the parade route two to three deep in most places.

Float judges Peggy Young, Barbara Hill and Virginia Daniels viewed the parade from a flatbed truck and took only a few minutes after the parade to make their decisions.

Twelve area marching bands appeared, ten floats were entered, as well as beauty queens from the area and their attendants.

Also in the parade were commercial exhibits from area businesses.

New tennis court completed

BLOOMFIELD — Construction of a long sought second tennis court in the city park has been completed and is ready for use. The first court, built several years ago by the Bloomfield Lions Club, has been extensively used by tennis enthusiasts.

The new court was built by the City Park Board with the aid of contributions from various civic clubs in the city.

Firefighting equipment to be demonstrated

DEXTER — Fire Chief Al Banken announced Monday that new fire- fighting equipment will be demonstrated at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday on Mathews Street north of the Swift and Co. plant.

Banken said a foam-producing machine will be demonstrated in as realistic a manner as possible.

The fire department will set fire to a deserted house while the equipment is a few blocks away. The firemen will rush to the scene as if it were a real emergency and use the equipment to fill the house with foam and put out the blaze, Banken said.

The foam- producing equipment is owned by Waters and Co., a Sikeston firm.

6 treated

Six accident patients were treated and released Monday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Treated were: Ken E. Lehmann, 14, Sikeston, multiple bruises and scratches when hit by car; Lonnie J. Morris, 11, New Madrid, possible fracture of right elbow in fall; Sandra L. Nunn, 11, Wolf Island, bruised fourth and fifth fingers of right hand.

James R. Washburn, 54, Sikeston, cut right leg in fall; Michael D. Partin, 11, Vanduser, cut left knee, upper left forearm and left foot in fall on bicycle; and Steven R. Hill, 10, Sikeston, bruised chest while playing football.

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2 Sikeston women named class agents

JACKSON, Tenn. — Mrs. Howard Reed of 9 Beaird Drive and Mrs. Wade Paris of 908 Ruth St. Sikeston, Mo., have been named class agents for the Union University 1974-75 alumni campaign.

Mrs. Reed is the agent for the class of 1962 and Mrs. Paris the class of 1959. They are among 77 agents serving various classes of the Baptist college.

As class agents they will give leadership to the annual drive for monies among Union University graduates and ex- studensts of their appropriate classes.

In the 1973-74 drive, the 1962 class contributed $277 and the 1959 class gave $235. Total contributed from 813 ex- students of the institution last year was $31,233.84.

"The monies raised this year will go to help bridge the gap between what the students pay for their education and what it actually costs," said William A. Foote, director of alumni affairs and annual support.

"Students normally pay about half of the cost of their education, not including room, board, books and supplies," commented Foote. "The remainder of this cost must be raised through contributions from various sources, including our alumni."

National chairman of the current campaign which has a goal of $50,000 is Glenn Rainey, Jackson businessman and 1953 graduate of Union. He is directing the activities of the class agents throughout the campaignn which ends May 31, 1975.

Last year 12.8 per cent of the college's 6,500 alumni and ex-students contributed to the drive. The goal for participation for 1974-75 is 15 per cent.

"If we receive for the current campaign contributions from 2.2 per cent more alumni than last year, a total of $3,000 in challenge gifts will be presented the college from several anonymous donors," Foote said. "This means approximately 100 more individual contributions."

Since the annual alumni drive began in 1966, over $175,000 has been raised for the school.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Lilbourn class of 1964 gathers for reunion

The Lilbourn High School graduating class of 1964 gathered Aug. 31 at New Madrid Country Club for a 10-year reunion. Twenty- five of the 46 original class members attended, and total attendance was 55. Class members and sponsors attending included: seated, from left, Linda (Baker) Doss of Granite City, Ill., Freda (Haralson) Smith and Shirley (Denton) Henderson of Memphis, Tenn., K. K. Thompson of Atlanta, Ga., Alice (Barnes) Johns of New Madrid, Violet (Nelson) Voss of St. Louis, Phyllis (Brock) Durmhiller of Albuquerque, N. M., Gloria (Lily) Moss of Denham Springs, La., Margaret (Nesselrodt) Weeks of Lilbourn, Cathey (Fraley) Daniels of Matthews, Brenda (Riley) Thompson of Blytheville, Ark., and Jackie (Berry) Roberts of Arnold. Standing, Gene Speight of O'Fallon, Joyce (Gremore) Lawfield of Catron, Sharon (Wilson) Inman of Michigan, Bill Turner of Cape Girardeau, Gale Timmons of Memphis, Tenn., Judy (Smith) Broughton of New Madrid, Ray Kettles of Sikeston, W. D. Prince of Marston, Mike Estes of Lilbourn, Roger Truett of Chicago, Ed Robertson of Charleston (senior trip sponsor), Darryl Moss of Denham Springs, La., Mrs. Ed Robertson of Charleston (senior trip sponsor), Gary Robinson of Sikeston, Mrs. Margaret Thompson of Sun City, Ariz. (teacher), and Jerry Henderson of Memphis, Tenn.

Ann Landers

Test is 'fine guide' for decision-making

Dear Ann Landers: I am still somewhat shell- shocked from what has happened to our former President, sixteen of his associates, and our former Vice- President. It seems the end is not yet in sight. Several high officials are still to be tried.

My children are asking me if this is "The New Morality." They want to know what to think and I don't know what to tell them.

The youngest, a boy 11, seemed completely bewildered last night after he had listened to a news commentator. His question was, "How can a person tell for sure if what he word is "Ditto." wants is right or wrong?"

Frankly, I don't have the answer. Do you? - Concerned Mother Who Loves Her Country.

Dear Mother: A few years ago I heard a sermon by the beloved pastor of The People's Church of Chicago, Dr. Preston Bradley. He discussed this very subject and quoted Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick's six- point test for deciding what is right and what is wrong. I asked Dr. Bradley if he would send me his distilled version and he did so at once. Here it is:

One: Does the course of action you plan to follow seem sensible and honorable to you? Never mind what anyone else has to say. If it does, it is probably right.

Two: Does it pass the test of sportsmanship? In other words, if everyone followed this same course of action, would the results be beneficial for all?

Three: Where will your plan of action lead? How will it affect others? What will it do to you?

Four: Will you think well of yourself when you look back at what you have done?

Five: Try to separate yourself from the problem. Pretend for a moment that it is the problem of the person you most admire. Ask yourself, "How would THAT person handle it?"

Six: Hold up the final decision to the glaring light of publicity. Would you want your family and friends to know what you have done? The decisions we make in the hope that no one will find out are usually wrong.

Dr. Fosdick's "Six- Point Plan" as described by Dr. Preston Bradley is, in my opinion, as fine a guide for decision- making as I have ever heard. I hope your children will find the answers they are seeking. They're all right there.

Dear Ann Landers: May I add one word to the letter signed "Plain Speaking"? The It's high time someone commented on male promiscuity. For too many years we have been hearing some pretty harsh criticism of women who sleep around. They were called "tramps, trollops, pushovers, roundheels, chippies," etc. On the other hand, men who did the same thing were labeled "Lotharios, Romeos" -- nothing to suggest that there was anything wrong with it.

Now women are insisting on (and getting) equal rights, I believe they are justified in demanding the same standards from men that men have been demanding of them. Granted, some males aren't fussy about whether or not a woman has had previous sexual experience. But those who are should be able to come to the marriage bed with the same clean slate they demand of their brides. If they can't, they should keep their mouths shut.

I'm not suggesting that both sexes should be allowed to cat around with impunity. What I'm saying is that men who want a virgin should be virgins, also, or all bets (and name calling) are off. -- Sauce For The Goose

Dear Sauce: Now it's my turn to say, "Ditto." Thanks for writing.

Miller family meets

FREDERICKTOWN — The Miller family gathered for a reunion Aug. 18 in Memorial Park.

Attending were grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Miller of Marquand, whose children were the late Clarence A. Miller of Sikeston, Marvin Miller of Elvins, Olga M. Miller of Marquand, Mrs. John W. Watts of Flat River, Mrs. Sidney Smith of St. Louis and Mrs. E. E. Gough of Picher, Okla.

Because of the large attendance the cousins plan to make this an annual affair.

Attending were:

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Frankfort, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Frey and Larry and Mike Frey and Tim Vickery of Cape Girardeau; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Felker of Sikeston; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frey and Jeff, Joe and Amy of Scott City; C. W. "Lum" Miller of Oran; Dick Bidewell of Murray, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kujawa and Lisa, Michael and Nicky of Cahokia, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Huffman of Whitewater; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Miller Jr. and David, Becky Sue and Sara Beth, Mrs. Lester Miller Sr. and Mrs Louis Waldschmidt of Benton; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Spence of Flat River.

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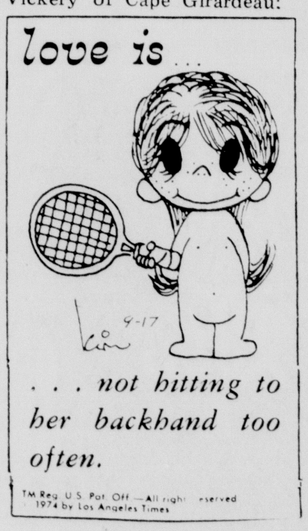

Meetings

TUESDAY

Morehouse Order of the Eastern Star Chapter No. 4050 will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

TUESDAY

New leaders in the Girl Scout program will meet from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at First Christian Church.

TUESDAY

Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A.M. Jackson, 623 Moore Ave.

TUESDAY

Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Linda Darter, 402 Illinois Ave.

TUESDAY

Delta Community Diabetes Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Heritage House. The meeting is open to the public.

TUESDAY

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Gene Collins, 710 Mimosa Drive.

TUESDAY

Zi Epsilon Zeta chapter (Exemplars) of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7 p.m. at the home of Dorothy White, 120 Autumn Drive. The hostess will present a program on India.

THURSDAY

Anyone interested in church league volleyball should meet at 7:30 p.m. at 504 N. Ranney St.

THURSDAY

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Heritage House at 6:30 p.m. for a potluck supper.

THURSDAY

Sikeston Ministerial Alliance will meet at 10 a.m. at First Christian Church.

MONDAY AND THURSDAY

Women interested in playing volleyball may do so from 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays in the Sikeston High School girls gymnasium. The sport is part of the Sikeston adult education program. For further information, call 471-2013 or 471-4090.

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Linda Chism bride of Earl A. Tillman

The marriage of Linda Kay Chism and Earl Allen Tillman was solemnized Aug. 31 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Chism, 501 S. New Madrid St. The groom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Kelly Tolbert, 126 N. Handy St. The Rev. Mr. Tolbert performed the double- ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor- length gown of taffeta. The bodice was designed with ruffles over the shoulders and a stand-up ruffle at the neckline. The waist had a tie back sash, and the sleeves ended with a large ruffle at the wrist, all edged in lace.

Her headpiece was flower-topped with a bow and trimmed in seed pearls with a three- tiered shoulder- length veil. She carried a bouquet of white carnations with lace and satin ribbon tied in love knots with long streamers.

Miss Kim Green, was maid of honor and Jerry Chism, brother of the bride, was best man.

A reception followed the ceremony. The bride's chosen colors of blue and white were used in decorating the reception table. Miss Judy Chism and Miss Pamela Tidwell helped in serving the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen Tillman

The couple lives at 215 Harry St.

The bride to be was honored at a bridal shower Aug. 15 given by Pamela Tidwell and Judy Chism at the home of the bride's parents.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report: 9-17-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg	121	120	1	0
Pediatrics	23	18	0	5
Obstetrics	14	10	0	4
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients scheduled for admission today: TEN (10)

MISSOURI DELTA
Released: 9-16-74
William Taylor, Dexter
Glen E. Gregory, Morley
Virginia Severe, Charleston
Agnes Cooper, Charleston
Karen E. Conner, Parma
Bernard Murback, Sikeston
James F. Rogers, Portageville
Teresa Woodard, Bloomfield
Carolyn Walker, Zalma
David Irwin, Sikeston
William H. Deane, Sikeston
Linda Heather, Sikeston
Frankie Smith, Charleston
Jackie Long, Sikeston

Total patients discharged	14
Total patients admitted	27
Births	2

EMERGENCY DEPT.

Accident patients	6
Medical patients	17
Others	18
Total emergcy paatients	41

DEXTER MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
William Childers, Bernie
Faye Crews, Dexter
Barbara Anderson, Malden
Clarence Cox, Bernie
James E. Maples, Puxico
Released:
Marie Robinson, Malden
Thomas E. Gibson, Sikeston
Robert E. Glenn, Dexter
Sandra K. Finch, Dexter

CHAFFEE GENERAL:
Admitted:
Helen Crocetti, Chaffee
Alfred Hovis, Oran
Ada Mansell, Scott City
Suda Reeves, Oran
Jay D. Spencer, Chaffee
May Webb, Greenville
Released:
David Halter, Illmo
Peggy Little, Patton
Nina Massey, Bell City
Harold Williams, Chaffee

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Janet Sexton, Hayti
Deloris Braswell, Hayti
Janie Mobley, Hayti
Elizabeth Rivers, Hayti
Charles Hargen, Hayti
Kay Hill, Steele
Ethel Crosno, Lilbourn
Debbie Cannon, Bragg City
Barbara Hurley, Caruthersville
Barbara Peterson, Caruthersville
Brent Wilburn, Caruthersville
Jenny Warren, Caruthersville
Lesa Mealer, Caruthersville
James Wilson, Portageville
Yvette Sherman, Kennett
Released:
Mary Wheeler, Hayti
John Luty, Hayti
Melvin Gibson, Hayti
Jerry McIntyre, Hayti
Gene Gunn, Hayti
Johnny Blissett, Hayti
Shelia Seabaugh and baby boy, Portageville
Sherry Schrewsbury and baby boy, Portageville
Shirley Godson, Lilbourn
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Meetings

TUESDAY

Xi Zeta Alpha Chapter of Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Bonnie Newton, 914 Davis Blvd. Mary Ann Maevers will have the program.

Births

UELSMANN — Mr. and Mrs. Herman Uelsmann of Cape Girardeau are parents of the first child, a son born at 1:12 p.m. Aug. 30 at Southeast Missouri Hospital. The boy weighed six pounds 13 ounces and has been named Scott Andrew.

Mrs. Uelsmann is the former Marcia Cummings, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Glenn F. Cummings of Cape Girardeau. Uelsmann is assistant secretary at First Federal Savings and Loan Association in Cape Girardeau, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Uelsmann of Morley.

TRANKLER — Mr. and Mrs. George Trankler of Oran are parents of their first child, a daughter born at 10:47 a.m. Sept. 1 in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. The girl weighed six pounds 10 ounces and has been named Christina Dawn.

Mrs. Trankler is the former Katherine Janice Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis of Oran. Trankler, a salesman at Bargain Hound, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Trankler of Chaffee.

GREENE — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Greene of Cape Girardeau are parents of their first shild, a daughter born at 6:22 p.m. Sept. 4 in Southeast Missouri Hospital. The girl weighed seven pounds 15½ ounces and has been named Angela Ranae.

Mrs. Greene is the former Janet King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. King of Dexter. Greene, a dock foreman for L. A. Tucker Truck Lines Inc., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greene of Bernie.

GRIFFIN — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin of Chaffee are parents of their second child, second daughter, who was born at 10:25 a.m. Sept. 4 in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. the girl weighed eight pounds, 11 ounces and has been named Kara Jean.

Mrs. Griffin is the former Vickie Hindman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hindman of Chaffee. Griffin, a laborer for Drury Construction Co. in Cape Girardeau, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Griffin of Chaffee.

Church Women United to sew quilted pads

Future activities of Church Women United were announced during a meeting of the executive committee of the group at 1:30 p.m. Sept. 9 at Hunter Memorial First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Tom Bloomfield, treasurer, reported that $50 has been sent to the migrant ministry and $10 donated to the fund to rebuild the Little League bleachers.

Members were urged to bring clean, usable clothing for the clothing depot. Mrs. Jewell Allen reported to the committee that the depot at the Sikeston Activity Center has served over 1,000 people in the past few months.

The work days held each month on the fourth Thursday have produced lap robes for Sikeston Convalescent Center and Shuffit's Nursing Home No. 2, examination gowns for the Health Center, terry cloth bibs for the convalescent center and maternity tops for the clothing depot.

At the next Work Day, scheduled Sept. 26, quilted pads for the Home for Aged Baptists in Ironton will be bound.

Canceled stamps may be saved and sent to the Washington State Council of Churches in Seattle, Wash., with the money derived from this program to be used to provide food for hungry people around the world. The Church World Service Blanket Drive will send used blankets through the agency,or $3 will purchase new blankets, to be used in needy areas around the world.

Mrs. Minnie Sprowles announced that the World Community Day program will be held at 2 p.m. Nov. 1 at West End Baptist Church. Futher plans for this program will be made at the next Church Women United executive committee meeting at 1 p.m. Sept. 26 in Sikeston Activity Center.

Ricky Whitley, Steele
Arthur Scott, Steele
Brenda Dill, Steele
May Burns, Steele
Laura Strothers, Steele
Vicky Flowers, Wardell
Lucille Mayer, Wardell
Grace Green, Malden

New books arrive at library

New books for adults have arrived at Sikeston Public Library.

Fiction:

"The Basil and Josephine Stories", by Scott Fitzgerald.

"The Other Room", by Borden Deal.

"Parrish for the Defense", by Hillary Waugh.

"Myself Christopher Wren", by David Weiss.

"Return of the Virginian", by H. Allen Smith.

"The Coast Of Fear", by Leslie Waller.

Non-Fiction:

"Nothing Is Impossible With God", by Kathryn Kuhlman.

"How To Run a Small Business", by J.K. Lasser.

"The Saturday Morning Gardener", by Donald Wyman.

"Sir Walter Raleigh", by Robert Lacey.

"Someone Cares", by Helen Steiner Rice.

"Complete Book of Decorating", by Mary Kraft.

Clothes Closet Clues

Wrong clothing makes social adjustment slower

By JEWEL GRADY
Area Textiles & Clothing Specialist

There are many factors to consider in selecting school clothes. Perhaps the most important factor to consider is the understanding of clothing by the youngster or young adult.

The right kind of clothing can be a great asset in growing up. The wrong kind of clothing makes social adjustment slower. If a boy or girl feels their clothing is not right, they may tend to withdraw from their friends.

In general, a child wants clothing to conform to the style of the group. Conformity is especially important to elementary school children.

The easy to manage garments are characteristics children like. A child is impatient if dressing takes too long or is difficult

Good fit is essential to comfort. Comfortable clothing provides freedom of movement for a child's active life.

Some young children don't mind hand- me- downs and may even feel grown- up when wearing something that belonged to another. Around age 8 or 9 they change their attitude and may object to handed- down garments. Minor changes may be made on handed- down garments, such as changing buttons, adding trim, or perhaps adding one of the popular embroidery patches. This can personalize the garment before it is passed on to its new owner.

Jewel Grady

Parents and children may not agree on selection of school clothes. Children want color, styles and clothes like their friends are wearing. Parents look for easy care, good wearing features and value for the money they spend.

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NL East leaders collide

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates may have been down lately, but they certainly don't act like they're out going into the opening of a three-game series tonight with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Last week, they held a 3 1/2game edge over the Cards in the race for the National League East title. But the Pirates closed out the week with five straight losses while St. Louis was chalking up five straight wins.

That was enough to drop Pittsburgh 1 1/2 games behind the Cardinals, but it wasn't enough to make Danny Murtaugh, the unflappable Pirate manager, throw in the towel.

"We have six games left with St. Louis," Murtaugh pointed out after the Pirates dropped the final game of a weekend series in Montreal. "We'll have to win more than our share now."

In addition to the three-game set here, the two clubs will face each other three times next week in St. Louis.

In all, the Pirates have 16 games left to play—the cards have 15—and Pirate slugger Willie Stargell joins his boss in not putting too much emphasis on any one of them.

"We've got to play them one at a time," he said. "There's no sense in putting extra pressure on yourself by saying you've got to win a certain number of games."

Murtaugh indicated he will finish the season with essentially the same personnel who brought the Pirates up from last place in three months, the five recent losses notwithstanding.

"They've got us where we are and they'll have to be the ones that take us further," he said.

One man who won't be going any further, however, is pitcher Dock Ellis, the Pirates' most effective right-handed starter this year with a 12-9 record.

He suffered a broken hand when hit by a line drive last week in Philadelphia. Ellis was holding a 4-1 lead when he was forced out of the game, a game the Pirates eventually lost 8-5 to start the loss skein.

Bullpen ace Dave Giusti also missed the week with a strained back, but has rejoined the team.

Bills win without O.J.

BUFFALO (AP) — "I know it's hard to say it's good to get hurt but ..." O.J. Simpson never finished the sentence. He was busy rubbing his heavily taped right ankle sprained on a 20-yard run.

But his "but" was an awfully big one.

Without Simpson, the National Football League's leading ground gainer and Most Valuable Player last year, the Buffalo Bills were forced to go to the air Monday evening.

Quarterback Joe Ferguson, last in NFL passing a year ago, responded with a pair of touchdowns in the final two minutes that carried the Bills to a 21-20 victory over the Oakland Raiders in his team's season-opener.

Both passes, one for nine yards and the other for 13, went to wide receiver Ahmad Rashad, acquired by the Bills in a trade with St. Louis for quarterback Dennis Shaw.

"So many people think it's all me, even some of the players might have thought that," said Simpson, who rushed for a record 2,003 yards last season.

Simpson was hurt with 56 seconds remaining in the second period. By that time he had gained 78 yards in 12 carries.

The team physician diagnosed the sprain as "slight to moderate," but gave no indication whether Simpson would be ready for the Miami Dolphins here Sunday.

Buffalo shot into a 7-0 lead on Ferguson's four-yard toss to J.D. Hill. Aging George Blanda put Oakland on the scoreboard with a 47-yard field goal at 13:49 in the period.

In the third period, left-handed quarterback Ken Stabler directed the Raiders from their 42 to Buffalo's 16 and Clarence Davis raced around left end for a touchdown.

Sports Briefs

BOXING

KINSHASA, Zaire — The heavyweight title fight scheduled Sept. 25 between heavyweight champion George Foreman and challenger Muhammad Ali was postponed "indefinately" due to a cut over Foreman's right eye in a sparring session.

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — World light-heavyweight boxing champ Bob Foster, 34, with a professional record of 48-0 against light-heavyweights, retired after 14 successful title defenses and said he will stay in law enforcement work in his home town of Albuquerque.

BASKETBALL

PHOENIX, Ariz. — The Phoenix Suns of the National Basketball Association traded veteran center Neal Walk and a second-round 1975 draft choice to the New Orleans Jazz for forward Curtis Perry, center Dennis Awtrey, guard Nate Hawthorne and a first-round 1976 draft pick.

Giant steals victory

One of these days before too long the Sikeston Bulldogs are going to run up against some team within 10-15 pounds their size and coach Terry Smith's hard hitting Dogs are going to bite some legs. For the second straight week Sikeston had to battle a team 10-20 pounds per man average bigger than the Bulldogs and for the second straight week Sikeston actually out fought the opponent. It has been their own offensive mistakes that have snatched victory from their grasp each time.

Last week in Farmington Sikeston battled back in the game but a delay in game penalty might have cost them a victory. Friday night a fumble on the try for the two point conversion cost them another one point defeat, 14-13 to Kansas City Bishop Lillis.

The plays that actually cost the Bulldogs the game were probably the most spectacular ever performed by a high school team. The little Bulldogs battled the giant Kansas City team up and down the field throughout the first half and the entire game for that matter but two unexpected plays did the Dogs in.

Sikeston scored a go ahead touchdown in the closing minutes of the first half on a 14 yard pass from quarterback Ron Priday, starting his first game for the Bulldogs, to split end Joey Williams who made a diving catch in the endzone and Priday kicked the extra point. After the Sikeston kickoff Bishop Lillis, quarterback Mike Friday ran from one Bulldgo defender after another until he spotted 6-8 giant Mike Trigg down the middle of the field and Trigg reached high to take the ball away from three defenders and ran 54 yards for a TD with 14 seconds left in the first half.

Sikeston was doing a pretty good job of defending the giant Kansas City team in the second half until a "flea flicker" play ended with the quarterback hitting.

Trigg down field all alone for another TD.

Sikeston has a great enterior line as they made holes in the Kansas City line all night for Tom Deroush, Larry Blue and Mike Lambert to run through.

Craig Vogel weighs only 165, Stan McMikle is 175, Wade Barber, 175, John Ralph, 175, Mark Hesselrode, 170, Larry McConnell, 165. When you consider the size of these boys and the size of Kansas City Lillis, 170, 220, 185, 190, 185, 190, 180, 190, 210, you have to realize that the Bulldogs are fine football players. The Bulldogs outrushed Lillis in the game and Sikeston's Defensive line held 220 Larry Wills 27 yards rushing.

If Kansas City hadn't fooled the Bulldogs on one play and if Trigg hadn't been 6-8 Sikeston would have had an easy win despite the tremendous weight advantage enjoyed by Kansas City.

The Bulldogs have a good future to look forward to the rest of the season as coach Terry Smith seems to have found a passing quarterback, something that Sikeston has sorely needed since Smith took over as the head man in 1973.

Ron Priday was inserted into the lineup at quarterback when Tom Luber was injured in the first game against Farmington and was very impressive in the game Friday night against Kansas City Lillis. Ron passed for two touchdowns to split end Joey Williams as Williams made a diving catch in the endzone for the first TD and caught another TD pass as Priday hit the 140 pound end on the letters for another.

With less than a minute left in the game Priday guided the Bulldogs some 60 yards down field with his passing and signal calling.

The Bulldogs take on Perryville Friday night in the opener for both teams in the Northern Division conference and this just might be the Bulldogs' first victory of the season and their first over Perryville in five years.

from the sidelines
with Bill Harrison

Bain's claim title

Mac and Mary Bain teamed to win the Championship Class of the Mixed Pairs golf tournament at the Sikeston Country Club over the weekend with a 146. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spitzmiller of Sikeston took first place in the B Class with a 167.

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Jayvees blanked

The Sikeston Bulldog Junior Varsity took its second loss of the season here Monday as Jackson shutout the Dogs 14-0.

The Bulldog defense played an outstanding ballgame until the fourth quarter when Jackson put together an 80 yard drive which began at the start of the period and ended with a touchdown with four minutes left to play in the game.

The Sikeston offense had trouble making yardage all night but the defense held on tight until a Gary Griffin pass was intercepted by a Jackson back late in the second quarter on the Bulldog 20 yard line and four plays later Jackson's quarterback sneaked across from the one yard line for the first touchdown.

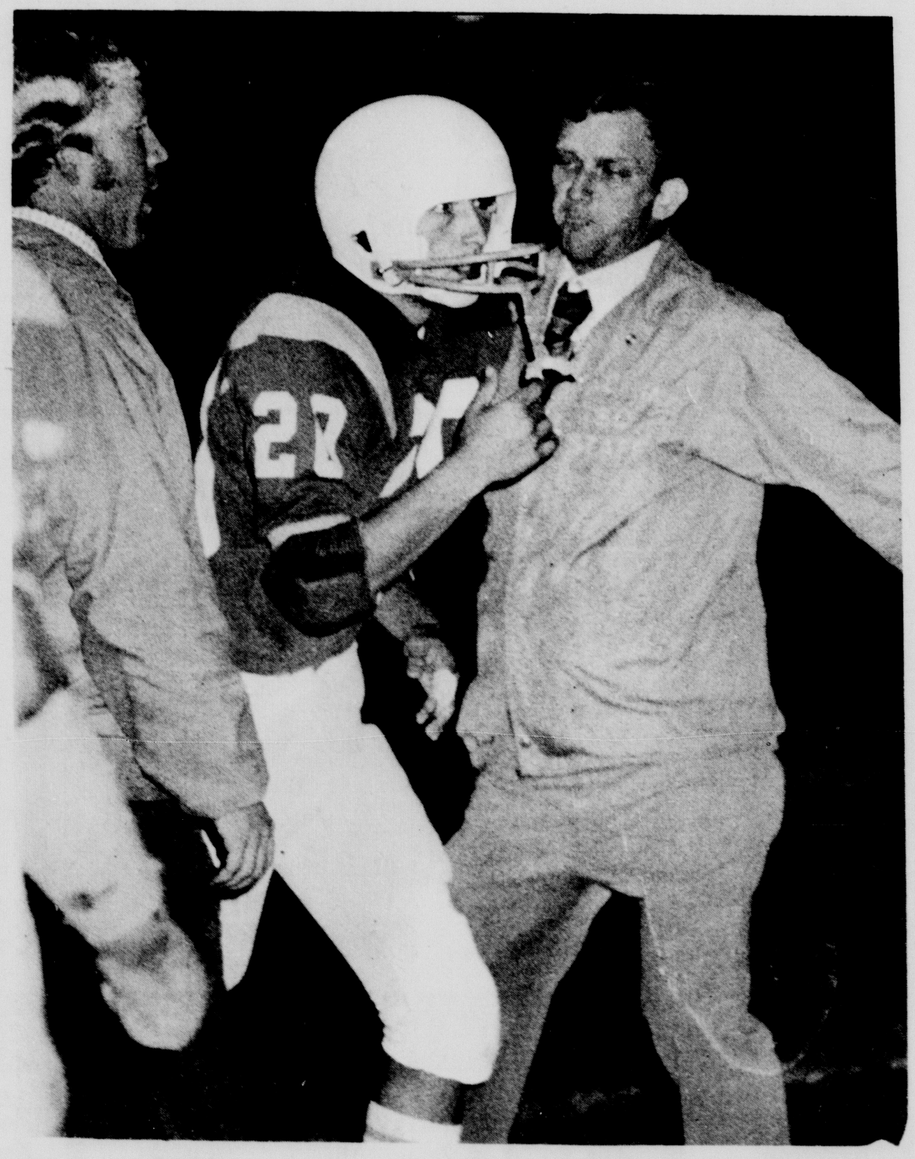
Sikeston's offense began to move down field in the third period after an exchange of balls but the drive bogged down on the Jackson 20 yard line as time ran out in the third period.

Sports Briefs

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The Spirits of St. Louis have announced that center Mike Lewis has been placed on waivers.

The American Basketball Association team said Monday that an Achilles tendon injury which hindered the 6-foot-8 center's play for the past two years had clouded his future.

Lewis had averaged 12.1 points and 12 rebounds a game in action with the ABA's Indiana, Minnesota, Pittsburgh and Carolina teams.



Get in there and stop that boy

The 1973 Daily Standard Football Coach of the Year, Bill Wilthong of the Illmo- Scott City Rams tells sophomore Doug Hester to go in and stop the East Prairie charge at the goal line in action at East Prairie Friday night. The Rams whipped the Eagles 12-7 for their 20th victory in succession.

Standings

Baseball At A Glance
By The Associated Press

American League

East

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	80	67	.544	—
Baltimore	78	70	.527	2 1/2
Boston	76	70	.521	3 1/2
Cleveland	72	74	.493	7 1/2
Milwaukee	71	77	.480	9 1/2
Detroit	67	80	.456	13

West

Oakland	84	64	.568	—
Texas	79	69	.534	5
Minnesota	76	73	.510	8 1/2
Chicago	72	76	.483	12
Kan City	71	77	.480	13
California	60	89	.403	24 1/2

Monday's Results

Minnesota 7, Kansas City

Only game scheduled

Tuesday's Games

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Baltimore (Palmer 6-12) at New York (Medich 18-13), N

Oakland (Hunter 23-11) at Kansas City (Busby 19-14), N

Cleveland (J. Perry 15-11) at Milwaukee (Colborn 8-12), N

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California (Hassler 4-11) at Texas (Jenkins 23-11), N

Wednesday's Games

Detroit at Boston, N

Baltimore at New York, N

Oakland at Kansas City, N

Cleveland at Milwaukee, N

Minnesota at Chicago, N

California at Texas, N

National League

East

	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	79	68	.537	—
Pittsburgh	77	69	.527	1 1/2
Philaphia	73	74	.497	6
Montreal	69	78	.469	10
New York	67	80	.456	12
Chicago	60	86	.411	18 1/2

West

Los Angeles	93	54	.633	—
Cincinnati	91	57	.615	2 1/2
Atlanta	81	68	.544	13
Houston	74	74	.500	19 1/2
San Fran	68	81	.456	26
San Diego	53	96	.356	41

Monday's Results

San Francisco 4, Atlanta 2

Montreal 3-2, New York 2-3

Cincinnati 9, San Diego 2

Los Angeles 7, Houston 2

Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Chicago (Dettore 0-0) at Philadelphia (Twitchell 6-9), N

St. Louis (Gibson 10-12) at Pittsburgh (Reuss 15-9), N

New York (Matlack 12-12) at Montreal (Rogers 13-20), N

Houston (Griffin 13-9) at Los Angeles (Rau 13-8), N

Cincinnati (Billingham 19-9) at San Diego (Greif 8-17), N

Atlanta (Capra 14-8) at San Francisco (Barr 12-8 or Bryant 3-15), N

Wednesday's Games

Atlanta at San Francisco

Chicago at Philadelphia, N

St. Louis at Pittsburgh, N

New York at Montreal, N

Houston at Los Angeles, N

Cincinnati at San Diego, N

Sports Briefs

NEW YORK (AP) Texas Rangers pitcher Ferguson Jenkins was named the American League Player of the Week ending Sept. 14, for winning his fifth consecutive game from the Oakland A's, league President Lee McPhail announced Tuesday.

The 30-year old Canadian right-hander's victory Saturday over the World Champion A's was his seventh win in a row and his 23rd this season for the Rangers.

In 45 innings against Oakland, Jenkins has allowed only 24 hits and three earned runs, boosting his over-all earned run average to 2.90.

BUFFALO (AP) — The Buffalo Braves of the National Basketball Association have announced that forward Jim McMillian will serve as team captain for the upcoming season.

The 6-foot-5 McMillian, one of the premier small forwards in the game, averaged 18.6 points and 7.3 rebounds per game last season. He appeared in all 82 of the Braves games after coming to Buffalo in a trade with Los Angeles.

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Irish No. 1 in AP poll

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Notre Dame Coach Ara Parseghian would be happier over the Irish being the No. 1 ranked college football team if it were January.

Notre Dame, the defending national champions, replaced Oklahoma as top team in the weekly Associated Press rankings. The Fighting Irish, second a week ago, received 19 firstplace votes and 1,004 points from a nationwide panel of sportswriters and broadcasters.

Ohio State, which got 17 first place votes, was in second with 998 points.

"Of course, we're very much honored to be No.1," Parseghian said with a laugh. "But it's where you wind up after the season is over that's important.

"I would be a lot happier being No. 1 if this were January."

The Irish campaigned the entire 1973 season to be No. 1, and finally made it with a 24-23 victory over Alabama in the Sugar Bowl.

"We had sort of a long fight to be No. 1 last season and it helped our determination, I believe," said Parseghian, whose Irish teams have lost only 15 of 104 games in his 10 years as head coach. "I think the reason we weren't ranked No. 1 before this season began is all the things that have happened to us — the injuries, the construction accidents, the dismissals.

"People thought we would not be as strong as last season after that. But we were fortunate enough to have a little better performance to open the season than some of the teams who were ranked ahead of us earlier."

Notre Dame, idle last week, downed Georgia Tech 31-7 in a nationally televised game Sept. 9.

Oklahoma, which dropped to third with 18 first place votes but only 929 points, had tough sledding in their 28-11 debut with lightly regarded Baylor.

Sooner players shared Parseghian's view on the importance of being No. 1 at this point in the season.

"I'm not too worried about this poll," said Sooner quarterback Steve Davis. "I would have to think we played well enough to stay No. 1 and it would be a lot nicer to be No. 1. But the poll will probably change a lot of times before the season is over.

"We just want to play well enough to wind up on top."

Nebraska followed third-place Oklahoma with 728 points and Alabama was fifth with 714. Michigan, Louisiana State, Penn State, Texas and Arkansas round out the top ten.

Arizona State heads up the second ten, followed in order by UCLA, Southern California, Maryland, Pittsburgh and North Carolina State, tied for 15th, Tennessee, Arizona and Houston and Stanford, tied for 20th.

The Top Twenty, with firstplace votes in parentheses, season record and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 2018-16-14-12-10-9-8 etc.:

1.N. Dame (19)	1-0-0	1,004
2.Ohio St. (17)	1-0-0	998
3.Okla. (18)	1-0-0	929
4.Neb.	1-0-0	728
5.Ala. (4)	1-0-0	714
6.Mich.	1-0-0	590
7.La. St.	1-0-0	527
8.Penn St.	1-0-0	443
9.Texas	1-0-0	419
10.Ark.	1-0-0	378
11.Ariz. St.	1-0-0	270
12.UCLA	0-0-1	148
13.S. Cal.	0-1-0	117
14.Maryland	0-1-0	95
15.Pitt	1-0-0	93
(tie) N.Car.St	2-0-0	93
17.Tenn.	0-0-1	90
18.Ariz.	1-0-0	58
19.Houston	1-1-0	30
(tie) Stanford	0-1-0	30

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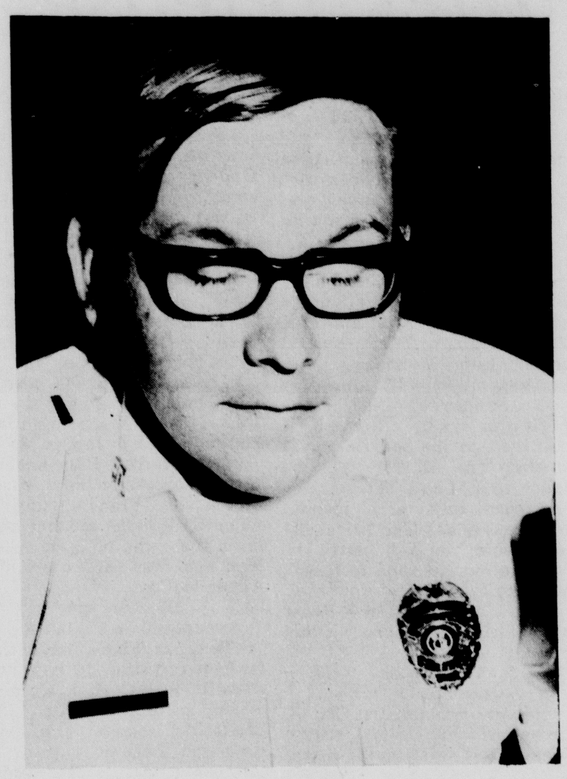
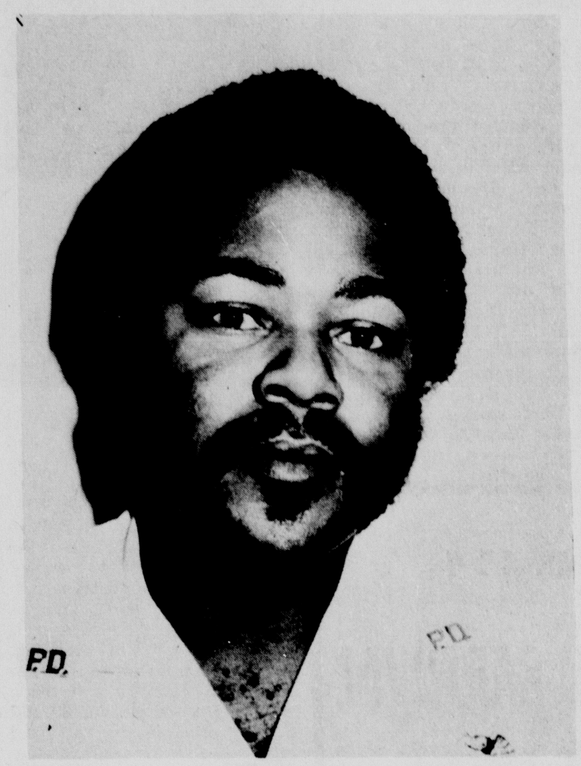


Patrolman Tommy Green was born in Sikeston and attended high school in Charleston and a school in Louisville, Ky.

With the police force for nearly a year, he has attended several training schools in Jefferson City.

He lives in Sikeston with his wife Linda.



Patrolman Willie Joe Harrington Jr. was born April 2, 1948 in Sikeston, Missouri. He graduated from Sikeston Senior High School in 1966. He then attended Lincoln University from 1966-67. Patrolman Harrington has been with the Sikeston Police Department since April of 1972 and since that time has completed 135 hours in Police Training. He is currently enrolled in the Law Enforcement School which is held at Sikeston Senior High School and he needs 2 more weeks to complete this phase of Law Enforcement Training which consisted of 24 weeks. Patrolman Harrington resides at 106 Pin Oak Dr. with his wife, Minnie, and their three sons, Damon, Willie Joe III, and Corey. Patrolman Harrington enjoys football, basketball, and billiards and he is looking forward to his vacation, which he plans to spend in Detroit, Mich., where he once lived.

Patrolman Ray Merrick has collected over 330 hours in police training since he joined the Sikeston Police Force in 1971.

Born in Charter Oak, Mo. He attended school in Charter Oak and Richland.

During the six years he lived and worked in the suburbs of Chicago, Merrick took some mechanical engineering and blue print reading training.

Merrick lives at 811 Agnes Street with his wife Jeanette and their son Ray Jr.

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The injuries occurred on back-to-back plays in the Cardinals' 7-3 win over the Eagles.

Pro Football

Pro Football At A Glance
By The Associated Press
National Football League
American Conference
Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
New Eng	1	0	0	1.000	34	24
Buffalo	1	0	0	1.000	21	20
NY Jets	0	1	0	.000	16	24
Miami	0	1	0	.000	24	34
Balt	0	1	0	.000	0	30

Central Division

Pitts	1	0	0	1.000	30	0
Cinci	1	0	0	1.000	33	7
Houston	1	0	0	1.000	21	14
Cleve	0	1	0	.000	7	33

Western Division

Kan City	1	0	0	1.000	24	16
Oakland	0	1	0	.000	20	21
San Diego	0	1	0	.000	14	21
Denver	0	1	0	.000	10	17

National Conference
Eastern Division

Dallas	1	0	0	1.000	24	0
S.Louis	1	0	0	1.000	7	3
Wash.	1	0	0	1.000	13	10
NYGiants	0	1	0	.000	10	13
Philbl	0	1		.000	3	7

Central Division

Minn. v	1	0	0	1.000	32	17
Chicago	1	0	0	1.000	17	9
Detroit	0	1	0	.000	9	17
Grn Bay	0	1	0	.000	17	32

Western Division

L.A.	1	0	0	1.000	17	10
S.F.	1	0	0	1.000	17	13
New Orl.	0	1	0	.000	13	17
Atlanta	0	1	0	.000	0	24

Monday's Game
Buffalo 21, Oakland 20
Sunday, Sept. 22
San Francisco at Atlanta
Miami at Buffalo
San Diego at Cincinnati
Houston at Cleeland
Minnesota at Detroit
New England at New York Giants
St. Louis at Washington
Green Bay at Baltimore
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Kansas City at Oakland
Monday, Sept. 23
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Brewer named to Mayo staff

ROCHESTER, Minn. — Dr. Nelson S. Brewer, 34, a former resident of Charleston, Mo. has been appointed to the staff of Mayo Clinic as a consultant in infectious diseases and internal medicine. He is also an instructor in Mayo Medical School.

Mayo Clinic is a private group practice of medicine with a staff off some 550 physicians and medical scientists, about 650 residents in advanced medical training and more than 3,000 paramedical personnel.

Dr. Brewer received a doctor of medicine degree from Tulane Medical School in New Orleans. He was a resident in internal medicine and infectious diseases in Mayo Graduate School of Medicine from 1970 until his appointment to the staff.

Dr. Brewer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Grinstead Brewer of Charleston. His wife is the former Karol Anne Kuersteiner of Tallahassee, Fla. They have three children.

Ronnie Blankinship

Sikeston senior to be featured in Who's Who

Ronnie Blankinship, son of Leon and Genetta Riley, 2006 Kentucky Ave., has been selected to appear in the eighth annual edition of "Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1973-74", one of the largest student award publications in the nation.

Blankinship is a senior at Sikeston High School and is active in choir and wrestling. He has been in the top 10 per cent of his class for two years.

Students from over 20,000 public, private and parochial high schools throughout the country are recognized for their leadership in academics, athletics, activities or community serivce. Less than three per cent of junior and senior class students nationwide are awarded recognition.

In addition to having his biography published in the book, Blankinship also is eligible to compete for one of 10 scholarship awards of $500 to $1,000 funded by the publishers and will be invited to participate in the firm's annual "Survey of High Achievers."

Looking back

Soldier well after release

50 years ago
September 17, 1924

Mrs. E. French and daughter of Charleston spent several days of last week with relatives. Mrs. French was formerly Earlie Edmonson of this city.

Mrs. R. A. Moll and children of Tamms, Ill., motored to Sikeston Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sheppard. They returned to their home Monday.

A specialist of St. Louis was down Sunday to see Dr. P. M. Malcolm, who has been confined to his bed for many weeks. The doctor will be taken to St. Louis Thursday of this week to enter a hospital for treatment. The specialist feels sure he will have Dr. Malcolm on the road to health again before long.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese were Cape Girardeau visitors Sunday.

40 years ago
September 17, 1934

Morehouse -- Mrs. R. E. Lowe of St. Louis visited friends and relatives here last week.

Morley--Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Watson are the proud parents of a son who arrived September 4, on the birthday of the oldest brother, Billy. This is the sixth child and third son.

Fairview -- Alfred Oldham and family of Sikeston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hensley.

The Sikeston High school football season will officially open Friday when Hugh May's eleven comes here from Matthews for a game at the stadium.

30 years ago
September 17, 1944

S/Sgt. Harold T. Godwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Godwin of Bertrand, sent a cable to his parents stating that he was well and safe after being released from a prisoner of war camp in Roumania.

A lawn party and wiener roast was given in honor of Linda Lou Humphrey's sixth birthday at her home on Greer street Friday.

Linda Geanne was born to Chaplain and Mrs. E. W. Bartley, jr., Monday, September 11 in Joplin, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beal are parents of a son born August 30 at St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, and has been given the name of Larry Allen. Mrs. Beal was the former Miss Aileen McCoy.

20 years ago
September 17, 1954

Ten candidates have thus far entered the 10th annual contest for Cotton Carnival queen, according to Dr. L. E. Bechtold, secretary of the American Legion, sponsor of the three- day event, which begins a week from today. Three of the candidates include: Miss Mary Jane Robbs, of Matthews; Miss Donna Schneider of East Prairie; and Miss Phyllis Jean Prindle of Vanduser.

North Lilbourn -- Services for N. H. Hamilton, 88, one of the oldest citizens here, were conducted recently.

Social sororities and fraternities at the University of Missouri pledged men and women over the weekend in Columbia. Sikestonians who pledged were: Miss Sue Watkins, Delta Delta Delta; and Roger J. "Buddy" Modersbach, Sigma Nu.

Mr. and Mrs P. B. Bartmess and daughter, Mrs. Jane Gillespie and sons, Bill and Bob, spent Monday in Columbia, Tenn., where Mrs. Gillespie's sons enrolled at Columbia Military Academy.

Miss Frances Mattingly has been employed to teach first grade at Washington School in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey of Charleston are parents of a baby boy born at the Delta Community Hospital on the 14th.

Babies born on the 15th were: A baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Ortega of Morehouse; Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Gardner, Sikeston, a son; and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Tidwell of Sikeston.

Lindon Duncan, who signed with the St. Louis Cardinals in August and played with their Class D Hannibal Club in the Mississippi- Ohio Valley League, has been notified that he will report to the Cardinal's Albany, Ga., minor league spring site in 1955.

The planet Jupiter's most dominant feature, the "Great Red Spot", is a huge, baleful eye in the cloud tops, large enough to hold three earths.

Poole is accepted by medical school

Anthony Poole

Anthony Poole, son of Mrs. Hildred Patterson of Cathlamet, Wash., and Harold Poole of Pharris Ridge, Sikeston, has been accepted into the School of Medicine, Universidad Autonoma at Guadalajara, Mexico. He will begin a four- year program in January 1975.

Poole is a 1968 graduate of Sikeston High School and earned a bachelor of arts degree in pre-medical sciences from University of Missouri-Columbia. He was a member of the pre- medical club and was employed by the University of Missouri Medical Center.

He is presently employed by Ferguson Medical Group in Sikeston.

He married the former Jo Ann Williamson of Sikeston, and they have a daughter, Lauren.

Lehr to meet with Scott Co residents

BENTON — George W. Lehr, Democratic candidate for state auditor, will visit Scott County on Sept. 26th. Lehr has invited all public officials, candidates of both parties and the general public to meet with him in a "County Forum" at the courthouse in Benton at 2:30 p.m.

Lehr, 37, is attempting to personally visit each of the 101 counties for which the state auditor is directly responsible for auditing. It is Lehr's goal to exchange ideas and become acquainted with the county officials and voters he must work with if elected.

Lehr, who was born and reared in Kirksville, is currently county executive of Jackson County. He has served as county auditor, collector of revenue and presiding judge.

As a Certified Public Accountant, Lehr is the first of his profession to run for Missouri State Auditor. Wherever he travels throughout the State, Lehr says, "It makes as much sense for a CPA to be state auditor as it does for an attorney to be attorney general."

Aid payments total $101,792

EAST PRAIRIE — Expenditures by the Division of Social Services in Mississippi County during August totaled $101,792, according to figures released by Mrs. Agnes Cunningham, county director.

The highest amount of assistance went to aid to dependent children cases, numbering 722 and including 1,852 children, in the amount of $91,074.

There were 161 general relief cases, which received a total of $10,718.

Mississippi County has 630 supplemental security income and Missouri supplemental cases; 495 supplemental security income only cases, for which medical benefits and social services are provided; and 152 Missouri supplemental cases.

There are approximately 1,151 food stamp cases in the county, which includes a total of 3,998 persons.

The county has 109 recipients in professional nursing homes.

Protective social services were provided for 108 children, and 78 children received preventive services. County funds, totaling $1,129.70, was spent for 19 children in foster care, and $1,500 was spent for aid to dependent foster care payments for 15 children.

Protective and preventive services were provided for 41 adults.

Currently, 39 participants are enrolled in the work incentive program, and 42 children received day care services.

What's the law?

The case of the flighty student

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

As the prim Miss Pride was leading her high- school class outdoors for a gym period, she paused momentarily to lock the door to her classroom.

During that interval, one of her pupils attempted to kick a field goal. Instead of booting the football, however, he booted poor Herbie who was holding it for the place kick.

Landing ungracefully, Herbie sued the school district for his injuries.

"The children should have been more closely supervised,' insisted Herbie's mother in court. "After all, when it comes to kids, they're about as predictable as the weather."

"But I only paused a moment to lock the door," responded the perplexed Miss Pride. "When I turned around, it was all over. Poor Herbie was already in the air. Certainly, it was nothing I could have anticipated in so short a period of time."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDTE, would you hold the school district liable for Herbie's short flight?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that while the lack of supervision of pupils, or their improper supervision, may constitute negligence, a teacher is not required to expect the unexpected.

In this case, concluded the judge, the accident happened so unexpectedly that it could have occurred in the teacher's presence as well as her absence. Consequently, the school district could not to be held responsible.

(Based upon a 1961 Calif. Dist. Court of Appeals Decision)

30th ANNUAL
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There will be four (4) Prize Award Classes - $150.00, $125.00, $75.00 and $50.00. Decision of judges will be final.

All entries must be in the hands of the Parade Chairman Buddy Sikes or Parade Marshal Hank Switala, on or before September 24, 1974.

All floats and entries shall be physically identified as to name of participating group to be eligible for any prize. Floats or entries do not necessarily have to portray the Cotton Carnival theme. However, every possible reference to the Cotton and its uses will naturally publicize one of SEMO's top products and industries.

All floats should be motor driven or motor drawn. Floats will be judged on originality, design, and attractiveness. Nothing shall be thrown or distributed from any vehicle within the parade.

All entries shall assembly North of Tanner Street on North Ranney Street not later than 9:45 AM, on the morning of September 28th. Positions in the parade will be designated by the Parade Marshal and announced thru courtesy of The Daily Sikeston Standard, prior to September 27th.

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AMERICAN LEGION COTTON CARNIVAL
PARADE – September 28, 1974

Buddy Sikes or Hank Switala
P. O. Box 301
Sikeston, Missouri 63801

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(School, Club, or Organization) (City)

will enter a float or ..... in the ..... Division of the Cotton Carnival Parade on September 28, 1973. Our entry will be at the designated area by 9:45 AM. It is understood that we will cooperate with the parade officials and be governed by the rules and regulations set up by the Parade Marshal and Cotton Carnival Committee.

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OUT OUR WAY — by Neg Cochran

THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane

"David's mother is taking yogurt lessons. It teaches you to lie on the floor and stretch."

Today in U. S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 17, the 260th day of 1974. There are 105 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1787, the Constitution of the United States was completed and signed by a majority of delegates attending the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia.

On this date —

In 1665, a bubonic plague broke out in London.

In 1862, in the Civil War, Union forces hurled back a Confederate invasion of Maryland in the Battle of Antietam.

In 1939, the debut of the radio program, "Major Bowes' Amateur Hour," started a trend toward talent contests in American radio programming.

In 1939, the Soviet Union invaded Poland in World War II.

In 1967, U.S. Air Force jets attacked a highway bridge in North Vietnam only seven miles from the China border.

In 1970, open warfare broke out in Jordan between King Hussein's army and Palestinian guerrillas.

Ten years ago: The United States disclosed development of two weapons systems capable of intercepting and destroying armed satellites circling the earth in space.

Five years ago: Preparations were being made to withdraw 35,000 more American troops from South Vietnam before the end of the year.

One year ago: Sextuplets were born to a 34-year-old Lakewood, Colo., woman who had been taking fertility drugs.

Today's birthdays: Ballet choreographer and director Frederick Ashton is 68. Genral Motors President Edward Cole is 65.

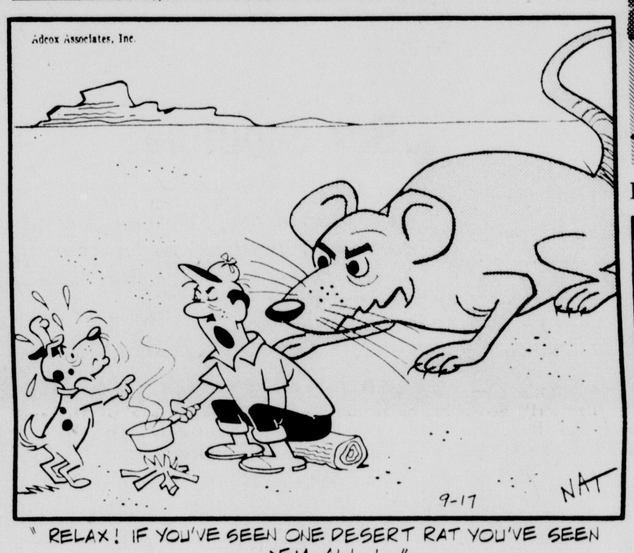
Thought for today: Public sentiment is everything. With public sentiment, nothing can fail; without it, nothing can succeed — President Abraham Lincoln, 1809-1865.

They'll Do It Every Time

SIDE GLANCES — by Gill Fox

"Remember the good, old days before recycling, when we used to empty the suggestion box out the window?"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — with Major Hoople



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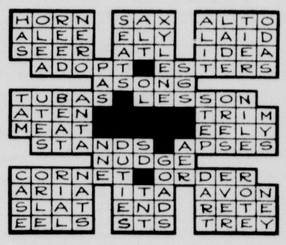
CARNIVAL — by Dick Turner

"Janie told me a nice thing about you, Dexter! She said your father accidentally sat down on your guitar!"

Variety

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Thailand
5 Adjoin
9 Light brown
12 Gaelic
13 Masculine nickname
14 Frozen water
15 Craft (pl.)
17 Cry
18 Escargot
19 Sways
21 Promontory
23 Was seated
24 Couch
27 Stratum
29 Indonesian island
32 Mountain crests
34 Meteorological line
36 Heckle
37 Chinese laborer
38 Former Russian ruler
39 At all times
41 Bitter vetch
42 Isaiah (ab.)
44 Shoshonean Indians
46 Hermetic
49 Pilfer
53 Sea eagle (var.)
54 Drowsiness
56 Chemical suffix
57 Erect
58 Italian coins
59 Bushy clump
60 Girl's nickname (pl.)
61 Dutch city and others

DOWN

1 Soap-frame bar
2 Persia
3 Continent
4 Lyric
5 Time past
6 Cudgeler
7 Preposition
8 Trials
9 Schedule
10 Genus of maples
11 Tidings
16 Censures
20 Forbidden
22 Antiquated
24 Thai coin
25 Epochs
26 Decided legally
28 Legal
30 Den
31 Angers
33 Ankles
35 Most painful
40 Roman god of metalworking
43 Oak nut
45 Not fresh
46 Flesh food
47 Italian stream
48 On the briny
50 Geraint's wife
51 Land measure
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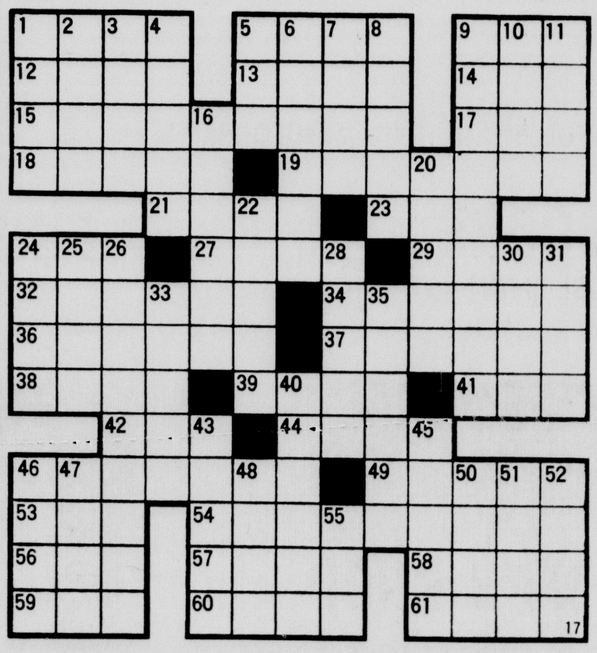
55 Tax group (ab.)



STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Wednesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Necessity	31 Love	61 Or
2 Now	32 Paying	62 Work
3 There's	33 Supporter	63 Bring
4 A	34 If	64 Have
5 Pressure	35 To	65 Tested
6 There	36 Offbeat	66 Hurt
7 For	37 Some	67 Now
8 You'd	38 Helpful	68 Negligence
9 Your	39 Closely	69 Way
10 Excellent	40 At	70 Elbow
11 Others	41 Loss	71 Someone's
12 Faith	42 News	72 Toward
13 Aspects	43 To	73 In
14 May	44 Thinking	74 Feelings
15 Security	45 Of	75 Solutions
16 People	46 Be	76 To
17 May	47 Wings	77 Problem
18 Stick	48 Friend's	78 You
19 Staunch	49 You	79 Fun
20 Concerning	50 Have	80 Completing
21 Offer	51 Cooperation	81 Pleasure
22 Apologize	52 Its	82 And
23 And	53 Bills	83 Later
24 Be	54 Can	84 Some
25 Into	55 Enjoy	85 Tasks
26 Good	56 Through	86 Conflict
27 May	57 Hopes	87 Bright
28 Like	58 Your	88 Lights
29 A	59 Your	89 Wishes
30 You	60 The	90 Way

3W Good · Adverse · 9/18 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 9-12-27-46 / 65-73-84-90

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 36-44-54-63 / 75-76-77

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 5-11-25-32 / 53-61-80-85

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 2- 8-28-35 / 55-60-87-88

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 3- 4-19-33 / 40-59-70

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 10-13-20-29 / 48-57-82-89

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 16-17-21-30 / 38-51-67

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 1- 7-15-23 / 31-45-81-86

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21 — 6-14-24-37 / 41-56-68

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 26-42-47-52 / 69-72-78

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 22-34-49-50 / 66-71-74

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 18-39-43-58 / 62-64-79-83

THE PHANTOM by Falk & Barry

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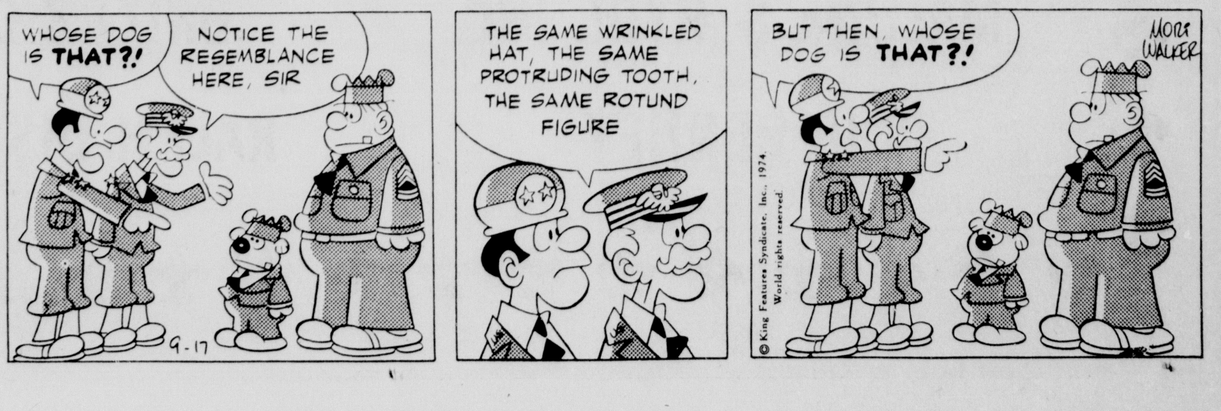

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Parents:

Every boy looks forward to fun and adventure. He wants to do important things with his friends and earn recognition. The Cub Scouting and Boy Scouting Program answers these needs: and through its code of ideals helps the boy develop a sound sense of values. It trains him in citizenship, Scouting helps the boy during his Scouting growing up years, Plan to come with your son to HIS SCHOOL Thursday, September 19 - 7:00 P.M. to learn how you can help him have these fine experiences.

★ Cub Scouting

is a program for boys 8-10 years, and is a home and neighborhood centered program. Boys are organized into dens under the leadership of parent Den Mothers, and meet weekly in home. Dens join together monthly for a pack meeting.

★ SCHOOL NIGHT TO JOIN CUB SCOUTING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19- 7:00 P.M.

SIKESTON – Cubs report to their grade school
CHARLESTON – Cubs report to Hearnes Elementary School
EAST PRAIRIE – Cubs report to Martin Elementary School (7:30 p.m.)
NEW MADRID – Cubs report to the New Madrid Community Building
MATTHEWS – Cubs report to Matthews Community Building
MOREHOUSE – Cubs report to Morehouse Elementary School Cafeteria
BERTRAND – Cubs report to Bertrand Elementary School Cafeteria
ORAN – Cubs to Oran Elementary School (Wed. Sept. 18 - 7:00 p.m.)
VANDUSER – Cubs to Old Vanduser Grade School
CANALOU – Cubs to Canalou Baptist Church
MORLEY – Cubs to Morley Community Building
BENTON – Cubs to St. Dennis School (Monday Sept. 23- 7:30 p.m.)

★ Boy Scouting

is a program for boys 11-14 years, and is an institution and community centered program. Boys are organized into patrols and meet weekly as a troop, under the leadership of an Adult volunteer Scoutmaster, Boy Scouting is essentially an outdoor program.

TROOP RALLY TO JOIN JOIN BOY SCOUTING

SIKESTON – All Scouts to Middle School 7:00 p.m. Thursday Sept. 19th (T-41, T-43, T-44, T-59)
CHARLESTON – All Scouts to Rolwing Park Saturday Sept. 21 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (T-32, T-33)
EAST PRAIRIE – Troop 37 Friday & Saturday Sept. 20-21 5:00 p.m. Friday and all day Saturday. Mike Euer's. Troop 38 Friday & Saturday Sept. 20-21. 4:30 p.m. Friday City Park and all day Saturday
BERTRAND – Troop 42 Contact Richard Blackburn, Scoutmaster
MOREHOUSE – T-49 Scout Hut Saturday Sept. 21
ORAN – T-144 Oran City Park Sept. 27-28 4:00 p.m.
NEW MADRID – T-48 Contact Bud Townsend, Scoutmaster.
BENTON – T-25 Contact John Bollinger or Chuck Juedeman

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COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Pearl Hawkins)
deceased.)

Estate No. 4256
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Pearl Hawkins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 14th day of October, 1974 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Jim S. Green, Hux & Green
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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4. Notices

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9-17-74

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9-18-74

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9-18-74

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9-16-74

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9- 17- 74

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Deaths

LEE ROY SKIDMORE

CLARKTON — Lee Roy Skidmore, 69, a retired farmer, died at 1:45 a.m. Monday in Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.

He was born Nov. 18, 1904 at Morley to the late Billy Lee and Ann Mary Carter Skidmore.

In 1937, he married Dorothy Smith, who survives.

Other survivors include one son, L. D. Skidmore of Clarkton; two stepdaughters, Wanda Simpson and Bernice Patterson of Clarkton; one sister, Zeta Sale of Clarkton; and one grandchild and two great- grandchildren. Services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Landess Funeral Home at Malden with the Rev. E. D. Francis officiating.

Burial will be in Stanfield Cemetery.

ROBERT VANCE CLARK

MALDEN — Robert Vance Clark, 60, owner of Sears Merchandising store, died Monday at his home of a heart attack.

He was born July 24, 1914 in Mullin, Tex., to the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark.

In 1964, he married Betty Penix, who survives.

He was a member of First Southern Baptist Church.

Other survivors include two daughters, Linda Knupp of Anna, Ill., and Paula Carr of Saginaw, Mich.; one son, Henry Lippert of Arkadelphia, Ark.; four sisters, Mildred Pearce of Abilene, Tex., Selma Riddle of San Antonio, Tex., Velma Hankins of Rock Springs, Tex., and Cleo Chandler of Houston, Tex.; and three grandchildren.

The body is at Landess Funeral Home, where arrangements are incomplete.

MARVIN C. BENNETT

BLOOMFIELD — Marvin C. Bennett, 66, a former restaurant and motel owner in Dexter and Bloomfield died at 9:30 p.m. Monday in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau of an apparent heart attack.

Born Aug. 2, 1908 at Shook, he was a member of the Bloomfield Lions Club and Trinity United Methodist Church.

On Oct. 15, 1931, he married Dorothy Robb, who survives.

He formerly operated Cub's Cafe and Motel in Dexter and Tucker's Restaurant and Motel in Bloomfield. He also was formerly employed by Chase Hotel in St. Louis.

Other survivors include two sons, Marvin (Bud) Bennett of Sparta, Ill., and William Bennett of St. Louis; one daughter, Norma Friend of St. Louis; three brothers, Clifford and Joseph Bennett of St. Louis and Eugene Bennett of Bloomfield; six sisters, Pearl Farris of Poplar Bluff, Beulah Binkins, Alice Nix and Berta Lee Box of Wappapello, Ola Dunham of St. Louis and Hazel Conzelman of Florida; and seven grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home with the Revs. Sterling Aubuchon of Malden and Andrew Fowler officiating.

Burial will be in Bloomfield Cemetery.

ISABELL ANDREWS

ADVANCE — Isabell Andrews, 82, of Route Two, a former Sikeston resident, died at 5:20 p.m. Monday in the Host House at Charleston following an extended illness.

She was born Jan. 14, 1892 in Tennessee.

Survivors include one son, R. C. Andrews of Advance; three daughters, Mrs. Macie Dunn of Advance, Mrs. Emma Allen of Whitfield, Miss., and Mrs. Gertrude Hamilton of Magnolia, Miss.; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Viola Rogers of Pascagoula, Miss.; and 17 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel in Sikeston after 10 a.m. Wednesday.

The body then will be moved to Smith Street Church of God, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. R. C. Martin, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

FRANCES M. SLATEN

Pallbearers at services today for Mrs. Frances Marie Slaten, 56, of Cape Girardeau, who died Sunday, were Mike Moseley, Paul Johnson, Bobby Joe Gentry, Don Bean, Mike Collier and Rodney Collier.

Advisory Committee holds first meeting

Members of The Citizens Advisory Committee, established for the purpose of determining the feasibility of a one- cent sales tax for Sikeston, held their first meeting Monday night with the city council and discussed alternate ways to secure the estimated $450,000 that a sales tax would bring in.

City Manager Charles Church said Sikeston could exist on its present budget, but additional revenue must be obtained if the city is to grow and provide better services.

The committee was told that a one- cent sales tax could increase the city revenue by as much as $450,000 the first year. A similar amount could be raised by placing an additional charge of 62 cents per month on the 6,000 water meters in Sikeston.

However, on a financing method like this, the people who use Sikeston streets and business facilities and live outside the city limits would not be paying for the services they use.

Councilman Don Fulton noted that people who earn $100 a week will spend about $35 for groceries. They would have to pay only 35 cents extra if a one- cent sales tax were in force.

Phil Barkett, a member of the advisory committee, said he checked with Louis Snyder, a grocer in Poplar Bluff, who said his business had not been hurt by the sales tax.

The advisory committee will meet with the police, fire department, light and water director, little league commissioner and other interested groups to gather information on the proposed sales tax. A list of priorities for use of the tax in developing new services for the city will be drawn up. The committee will then review methods of financing and present their recommendations to the city council.

Waste disposal, street improvements discussed

NEW MADRID — Solid waste disposal and street improvements were the prime topics discussed at Monday night's City Council meeting.

The council adopted, by unanimous vote, an ordinance for providing uniform solid waste disposal for the city.

The ordinance provides that solid wastes will be picked up from each resident at least once a week at a cost of $2.25 per month to be added to the light and water bills. Business establishments will negotiate their monthly charge on the basis of the amount of waste generated.

Other provisions of the ordinance require all wastes to be placed in 20 to 35- gallon plastic bags or plastic or metal containers weighing not more than 75 pounds when filled. Tree trimmings must be tied in bundles not more than 18 inches in diameter and 48 inches in length.

Jackson Clay Hunter voiced objections to the proposed paving and guttering on Vandenventer Street, on which he owns property. He told the council that it was the understanding of property owners that if the majority of the owners on any street objected, then the work would not be done. He said 62 per cent of the property owners on this street had objected. He was told that his only recourse to stop the paving was to seek legal counsel.

The board agreed to proceed with requests for bids on street improvements and to contact a bonding company concerning the issuance of bonds for proposed sewer and drainage improvements, which must be voted on by the citizens prior to construction.

In other business handled, the council accepted a bid of $11,597 from Powell's Supply of Malden for scrap copper from construction at the power plant in St. Jude Industrial Park. The next highest bidder was Paul's Inc. of Sikeston with a bid of $10,726.

Placement of gravel on the levee road was discussed; See-Mor Cable TV will be ordered to pay its full annual franchise fee instead of one-twelfth as offered; and a tax bill on a building on leased property previously owned by Gulf Oil Co. which has been destroyed was ordered taken from the records.

Tar pot ignites

DEXTER — The fire department answered a call at 4:37 p.m. Monday to an alley behind the Dexter pool hall where a tar pot had caught fire. The blaze was extinguished quickly and no damage was reported.

17 cases of beer stolen

Seventeen cases of beer were missing after an apparent burglary early today at Bess Supply Co., Highway 61 South.

While on routine patrol in the area at 6:39 a.m. Sikeston police officer Ed Speakman noticed a window on the east side of the building had been broken.

Albert Keith Bess, owner of the business, reported the loss after making an inventory.

Dudley man fails to appear; bond forfeited

BLOOMFIELD — Lloyd Brown of Dudley, charged with terrorizing customers of a Dudley tavern with a snake, failed to appear in Magistrate Court Monday and his bond was forfeited.

Judge Lloyd Briggs of Sikeston, was appointed to hear the case. Brown reportedly walked into the tavern in April of 1973 and threw a snake around the neck of a male customer. He is also charged with felonious assault resulting from a fight which followed the incident. Brown is believed to be held by out- of-state authorities on other charges.

In other cases heard by special judge Briggs, Lavaughn Baker, 32, of Dexter was bound over to Circuit Court for trial on two counts of felonious assault against three liquor control agents. Baker is charged along with Eugene Fredrick, 28, of Dexter and Larry Gadberry, 27, of Overland with the Aug. 3 assault against three agents when one of the agents attempted to arrest Fredrick for selling beer without a license. The fight occurred behind a Dexter tavern owned by Lloyd Aarant. A third count against Baker was dismissed.

Charges of burglary and stealing were dismissed against Kenneth Paul Brown and Elmer Eugene Blankenship due to insufficient evidence.

Freeman Townsend was fined $25 on a common assault charge.

Thieves get tractor

CARUTHERSVILLE — Pemiscot County- authorities are continuing to investigate the theft of a back hoe tractor, valued in the thousands of dollars, which was stolen in Caruthersville Friday night.

The back hoe was on a flatbed trailer attached to a dump truck, which was parked on the Magic Mart parking lot Friday night, while the three operators of the equipment were spending the night in a motel across the street.

When the men awoke at 6 a.m. the following day, the truck, trailer and back hoe were gone, authorities said, although the truck cab had been locked.

Wardell police reported Saturday night that the truck and trailer has been found abandoned on a road near Wardell, but said the back hoe was missing. The equipment was owned by Bill Lonon of Memphis, Tenn.

Council to turn complaints over to contractors

CHAFFEE — The City Council voted Monday night to turn complaints it has received about the water and sewer contractor over to Trotter & Associates of Dexter, the engineering firm in charge of the project, for consideration.

The council wants the complaints cleared up before it pays the final 10 per cent of money owed for the water and sewer project.

The Chaffee Housing Authority requested the bridge over Heeb Creek on South Main Street is opened so the children in the housing project can ride the school bus. The council tabled the issue until an inspection of the bridge is made.

An easement for water and sewer lines was accepted by the council from Paul Pfefferkorn in the Pfefferkorn Addition.

The council accepted a $3,995 bid from Montgomery Motors in Chaffee for a new police car.

Fire Chief Bill Hagan requested that an ordinance be passed concerning guidelines to be used for inspection of child care centers. The council agreed to look into the possibility.

The council decided to send Bert Wilson and Charles Moit, employes of the Chaffee Water Department, to a school in Malden for five weeks to enable them to learn how to improve the water supply. The cost will be $100 per man.

A photo copy machine was purchased for the city hall at a cost of $1,195.

Building permits approved included: Ernest White, 103 Clarman, new carport, $2,100; D. R. Boulware, 115 Black St., new front porch, $280; Chaffee Lumber Co., carport at 511 N. Third St., $468; Carlos Crump, 420 Black St., room and carport, $2,400; and Dr. B. T. Moudy, add a wall at his office, $275.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	8.3	—.8
Cape Girardeau	32	15.3	—.6
New Madrid	34	16.1	+.2
Caruthersville	32	16.9	+.3

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .3 Wednesday; fall .5 Thursday; and fall .3 Friday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .7 Wednesday; fall .4 Thursday; and fall .5 Friday.

At New Madrid the river will rise .2 Wednesday; fall .5 Thursday; and remain steady Friday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .2 Wednesday; rise .2 Thursday; and fall .4 Friday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	21.4	+.1
Paducah	39	17.8	—.4
Grand Chain	42	25.0	+.2
Cairo	40	24.7	+.2

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .5 Wednesday; fall .9 Thursday; and fall .5 Friday.

At Paducah the river will fall .1 Wednesday; rise .3 Thursday; and fall .6 Friday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall .5 Wednesday; remain steady Thursday; and fall 1.0 Friday.

Dozer damaged by vandals

A bulldozer being used to clean out a drainage ditch east of Interstate 55 was reportedly damaged over the weekend when someone apparently tried to start the machine and damaged a gasoline engine used to start the machine's main engine.

Harrison and Spalding Co. of Benton, owner of the equipment, reported the vandalism to the Scott County sheriff's office Monday. An estimate of the damage was not available.

The machine had been left near the work site Friday afternoon, and a workman discovered the damage Monday and reported it to the owners.

The Niagara Power Project of the Power Authority of the State of New York, with a capability of 2,400,000 kilowatts, is the largest in the Western World, The World Almanac says. Most of this huge capacity comes from the Robert Moses Niagara Power Plant whose 13 generators have a rating of 1,950,000 kilowatts and the 12 generating units of the Lewiston Pump Generating Plant which have a nominal rating of 240,000 kilowatts.

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31, and the lease was not renewed at Monday night's meeting.

"It costs the city $1,800 per year," Mayor Willis Conner said, "and nobody parks there. At most, we got $8 per month in revenue."

A motion not to renew the lease passed without objection.

The lease on the city swimming pool held by the Dexter Jaycees also has expired, and the Jaycees did not desire to renew it.

"The swimming pool is in terrible shape," Alderman Eldon Cooper told the board. "There are holes knocked in the ceiling, the hot water in the showers doesn't work, leaks are everywhere and tiles are knocked off the pool. It looks terrible."

The council decided it did not have the time to run the pool and asked the mayor to talk with the park board about taking over the maintenance and running of the pool, then to report his findings at the next council meeting.

A lease was approved granting Dexter attorney C. H. Parsons Jr. 25 feet of parking area from the city at $200 per year for five years.

The action will displace at least two parking meters, but Conner said the city would make more money from the lease than it makes from the meters.

Parsons originally wanted to buy the city land but, after consultation with his contractor, abandoned the idea as being too costly.

In other action, the city decided to pay half the cost for removal of a tree on Sassafras Street since it is located mainly on city property. The cost to the city would be $75.

Mary Margaret Poyner was appointed acting city clerk by the council during the absence of City Clerk George McCracken who suffered a stroke while en route home from Memphis on a bus. McCracken now is reported in serious condition at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

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offered for two hours of credit by the university as a history workshop (US 851). No prerequisites are demanded. The minimum of $32.00 ($16.00 per semester hour) will cover enrollment costs.

Charles Sharp, assistant professor of history, and William Seidensticker associate professor philosophy, will serve as supervisors of the course. Only two class meetings will be scheduled -- at mid-term and at the end of the course. Most of the course work is designed to be done at home, although informal discussions will be scheduled at the request of the enrollees.

The first article in the 18 - part series will be Columbus Discovers Utopia, by Robert C. Elliott, University of California, San Diego, professor of literature and author of The Shape of Utopia, the Power of Satire and other books.

The next three articles under the general title of The New World as Utopia will be by Winthrop Jordan, University of California, Berkeley, professor of history, and author of White Over Black.

The next four articles, Visions of Virtue, Battle in Babylon: Aspiration and Actuality in the Age of the American Revolution, will be by Michael Kammen, American history professor at Cornell, and author of People of Paradox, Empire and Interest and other books.

William Goetzman, Stiles professor of American Studies, University of Texas, will write four articles under the title of Progress and Perplexity: Institutional Adventuring in Nineteenth Century America. He is author of Exploration and Empire and When the Eagle Screamed.

Four articles, entitled Testing of the Images, will be written by Jay Martin, professor of English and comparative literature at University of California, Irvine. He is author of Harvests of Change: American Literaure 1865-1914; Nathaniel West and other books.

The last two articles will be by Robert Penn Warren, noted author (All the King's Men and many others) and professor of English at Yale. His general topic will be Reflections on the Record. Warren holds two Pulitzer prizes -- for fiction and poetry.

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purposes." And he said, "our government had no involvement whatsoever" in the coup that toppled the Chilean regime.

On other topics, Ford said:

—"The United States is not going to have a depression. The over-all economy of the United States is strong. Employment is still high. We do have the problem of inflation," which he said he hoped would be solved.

—Within the next few days, presumably when he addresses the United Nations General Assembly in New York on Wednesday, he hopes to announce "a very major decision" involving humanitarian food aid to other countries.

—"A person's income tax return is a very precious thing to that individual and, therefore, I am about to issue an executive order that makes it even more restrictive as to how those returns can be handled" within government.

—The President has "several people in mind" to replace resigning staff chief Alexander M. Haig Jr., who is becoming military commander of NATO, and hopes to name a new press secretary to replace J.F. terHorst, who quit in protest against the Nixon pardon, "in a relatively short period of time."

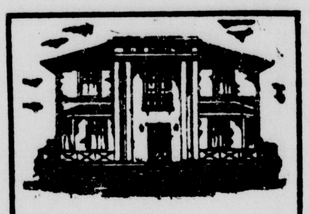
Ford said he is getting health reports on Nixon from day to day, but "I don't think I am at liberty to give any information from those reports I have received."

Woman injured in accident

POPLAR BLUFF — A Poplar Bluff woman received minor injuries in a one- car accident at 9:28 a.m. today on Highway 142 two miles south of town.

Myrtle Matthews, 66, of Poplar Bluff was injured when a car driven by T. Alvin Wilcutt, 76, of Poplar Bluff backed from a driveway and ran off the road.

She was taken to Poplar Bluff Hospital.



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Weevil trap results explained

Keith Harrendorf, back to camera, entomologist at the Delta Center at Portageville explains test results from a boll weevil trap being tested this year at several sites in the Bootheel. Results gained from the traps indicate that weevils are present before May and maintain a consistent population through September.

(Daily Standard photo)

Research benefits farmer

Charles Krews, a research specialist in agronomy (left photo), explains results of experiments using a spacing of seeds in planting rather than a quota per acre system. Several varieties were planted with different spacings to check effectiveness. Dr. Charles Baldwin plant pathologist (right photo), has conducted experiments with chemical weed controls without cultivation. A non- effective plot in the foreground shows a heavy growth of foxtail and smartweed. Other plots showed degrees of effectiveness of the controls tried.

(Daily Standard photos)

Farming research saves time, money for farmer

By TIM LUDWIG

PORTAGEVILLE — Science was brought to the farm for the more than 644 farmers and agri-businessmen today at the University of Missouri Delta Center annual field day.

Guests were shown dozens of tests ranging from cultivation techniques and special chemical applications to reduce field work time to crossbreeding of plants to produce special disease resistant varieties.

The field day, sponsored by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture, is held annually on the experimental Lee Farm, southeast of Portageville. Today's attendance was over a 100 more than last year's record participation, officials said.

Crops tested at the center are those of primary interest to Bootheel farmers. Test plots include soybean strains, cotton, milo, and field corn. Typical of the testing that farmers were shown are plots of cotton grown without cultivation to test chemical weed control techniques. This research is directed toward saving time and money and providing greater convenience for farmers who normally have to cultivate cotton extensively to reduce weed growth.

One soybean test dealt with increased yield produced by seed treatment with fungicides. Part of this test, conducted by Dr. Charles Baldwin, plant pathologist with the Delta Center, involves using a bacterium isolated by the Hershey Chocolate Co. from their candy bar. Laboratory tests by the company proved that the bacterium spurred plant growth, so Dr. Baldwin is testing it on soybeans in the field.

Highlights among the dozens of other tests conducted at the Delta Center include: soybean variety tests to compare yield, quality, and maturity, plant spacing studies to find best planting techniques breeding tests to develop desease resistance in cottonstrains, checks on planting and cultivation techniques for best yields and similar tests on varieties of corn and milo.

The final test shown on the wagonride tour of the research facility was a special boll weevil trap. Results of the trapping checks have shown a nearly steady weevil population from early May through the present time, discounting an expected drop in population after bolls opened.

Visitors were also shown some equipment especially modified for use on experimental plots. Notable among these is a 20- inch, four- row cotton picker, designed to harvest closer-than - normal planted cotton in yield experiments.

The picker has a four-row brush header, a special lint cleaner, holding bin and is expected to be modified further to include a sacking attachment by the 1975 harvest season.

Mississippi attorneys for murder suspect will fight extradition

CORINTH, Miss. (AP) — Lawyers for a Corinth physician charged with murdering his ex-wife in Missouri say they will fight extradition and prove their client was not at the death scene.

Dr. Norman Garrison Jr., 32, was arrested Monday after performing surgery at a hospital. He was charged with the Sept. 8 murder of Lee Ann Garrison at her home in Kennett, Mo.

Mrs. Garrison, who was divorced in June, was found shot once in the head and beaten about the face with a blunt instrument.

Attorneys for Garrison said several witnesses will be called to testify that Garrison was near the Pickwick Lake resort area on the Tennessee River near Corinth when his ex-wife was slain.

Ford convinced decision right

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford says Richard M. Nixon's acceptance of a pardon could be construed as an admission of guilt, but Ford's unyielding defense of the clemency has failed to still criticism of his decision.

Ford also said Monday night there were no secret reasons for the pardon and no secret deals with Nixon.

And he disclosed he is moving to allay concern among Watergate prosecutors about safeguarding Nixon tapes as potential evidence.

He said White House aides are negotiating with Watergate Special Prosecutor Leon Jaworski's staff to remove concerns about preserving for possible courtroom use the tape recordings and presidential documents deemed to be Nixon's property.

Responding to a barrage of pardon-related questions at his second broadcast news conference, Ford declared, "I am absolutely convinced ... I made the right decision in an effort, an honest, conscientious effort, to end the (Watergate) divisions and the turmoil in the United States."

Ford maintained that the former president had been "shamed and disgraced" by his resignation.

The President also said he had no inside information on Nixon's health at the time of the pardon, and although he was aware of published reports Nixon was ailing, "I was more anxious to heal the nation."

A number of congressional Democrats said they were not satisfied by Ford's defense of the pardon.

"Tonight, I thought there might be some light," said Rep. Jerome Waldie, D-Calif., a member of the House Judiciary Committee that recommended Nixon's impeachment, "but there was none."

Chairman Peter W. Rodino Jr., D-N.J., of the Judiciary Committee said it would have been better had Ford "pursued the judicial process to show that all are treated equally under the law."

But Sen. George D. Aikin, R-Vt., said Ford's explanation was "pretty straightforward and will make an impression on a lot of people who didn't agree with the pardon."

Reviewing his decision to pardon the former President, Ford went further than ever before in suggesting Nixon was guilty of impeachable offenses if not criminal misconduct. He said the unanimous Judiciary Committee vote for impeachment was "very persuasive evidence" and at another point declared, in response to a question, "the acceptance of a pardon, I think can be construed by many, if not all, as an admission of guilt."

If the pardon question dominated the 30-minute news conference, the topic of CIA intervention in the affairs of other countries seemed certain to stir international controversy.

Asked about CIA action against the since-overthrown Marxist government of Chile, Ford said the United States did act "to help and assist the preservation of opposition newspapers and electronic media and to preserve opposition political parties." He went on:

"I think this is in the best interests of the people of Chile, and certainly in our best interests."

In any case, he said he was "informed reliably that Communist nations spend vastly more money than we do for the same kind of

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Audit shows SMSU overpaid $1 million

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — More than $1.1 million was over appropriated to Southeast Missouri State University in 1973 and 1974 due to errors in enrollment projections and reporting, according to Missouri Auditor John Ashcroft.

In releasing the audit of the two fiscal years Monday, however, Ashcroft noted," we are not asserting that there has been any fraud, gross negligence or other improper expenditure of funds by the university."

In the 22-page audit report, Ashcroft also pointed out that university officials "had eliminated the most significant enrollment reporting errors by the spring semester of 1974."

According to the report, university officials misinterpreted guidelines of the commission on higher education and counted in their enrollment reports ineligible students who withdrew from courses prior to the fourth week of the semester. Contrary to established guidelines, students attending off-campus centers or branch campuses were also counted, the report said.

Officials at the Cape Girardeau institution were quoted by Ashcroft as justifying inclusion of the first category of ineligible students in the enrollment reports by contending they needed staff and facilities for all enrolled students during *the first weeks of the semester.*

Inaccurate enrollment projections by the state commission also contributed to the over appropriation of funds, the report said.

But Ashcroft noted, "this report has the benefit of perfect hindsight, a benefit not available to the commission at the time they made their projections. Nevertheless, the identification of projection errors should be useful in improving future projections."

The errors were responsible for an over appropriation in fiscal 1973 of between $596,000 and $657,000 and in fiscal 1974 of between $522,000 and $716,000, the report said.

The school, howver, did not spend $211,000 of its appropriation last year and that amount lapsed back to the state, in effect cutting back the over appropriated total the report said.

Definite figures on actual enrollment were not computed, a spokesman said, because the determination of over apppropriated funds was based on a random, statistical sample of student records.

Previous enrollment audits at other schools uncovered reporting errors at Central Missouri State University totaling more than $1 million in a single year and inadequate records to perform an audit at Northeast Missouri State University.

Rice named to board of admissions

Bernard Rice, an attorney with the Sikeston law firm of Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal, has been appointed as a member of the Board of Admissions of the United States District Court, East District, for a three- year term.

The appointment was made by judge James H. Meredith and becomes effective immediately.

Rice was appointed along with Harold B. Treasure of Kennett to succeed Flake L. McHaney of Kennett and Hal. E. Hunter Jr., of New Madrid, whose terms of office expired Sept. 3.

The board reviews lawyers' applications, who seek to try cases in the court.

Burglars hit service station

BLOOMFIELD — The Stoddard County sheriff's department is investigating a Monday night burglary at Gillespie's Service Station near Aquilla in which small amounts of candy, soft drinks and tobacco were taken.

Sheriff's officers said entry to the building apparently was made through a back window.

Standard and university to offer course by newspaper

Readers of The Daily Standard soon will have the opportunity to read the work of six outstanding American scholars - authors and, if they are so inclined, to receive college degree credit for doing so.

This opportunity comes in the publication in this newspaper, beginning Sept. 28, of a series of 18 articles under the title of "In Search of the American Dream." The articles are part of the nationally- successful program called Courses by Newspaper. This is a program originated by the University of California at San Diego, funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, with additional assistance of the Exxon Educational Foundation, and distributed by Copley News Service.

The articles are being published with at least three audiences in mind:

1. Readers who would enjoy such writing for educational and/or recreational purposes, just as they would read other newspaper stories.

2. Readers interested in serious education on their own time.

3. Readers interested in degree credit, who would receive assistance through additional education kits and counsel of educators at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau. This university is cooperating with Courses by Newspaper, will conduct class sessions for those enrolled for degree credit and will administer an examination after the 18th article is published to those seeking degree credit.

More than 100 newspapers already have joined in the program to publish "In Search of the American Dream."

"In Search of the American Dream" will be

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Dexter approves work at airport

DEXTER — The City Council took action Monday night to allow remodeling of Dexter Memorial Airport to continue as planned under the guidance of the airport board.

Approval was given to let the Sikeston architectural firm of Buchmueller, Whitworth and Foust, Inc., draw up plans for improvements. Approval was also granted to apply for state funds for this project and to set up a special account for the money obtained from the state.

A check for $3,375 is expected from the state soon.

It was pointed out that traffic at the airport has increased in recent years to the point that an average of 25-30 planes a week use the airport.

An ordinance was passed to change the length of time allowed to pass before city water bills are considered delinquent.

Water bills sent out the first of the month formerly were considered delinquent if not paid by the 20th of the month, with an extra dollar added to the bill.

"I don't think this is right," Alderman Doren Vancil said. "The bill should not be considered delinquent, nor should a dollar be tacked on the bill until the second notice."

The other aldermen agreed and increased the time allowed to pass before a bill is considered delinquent to 30 days.

The council also decided to send letters to area real estate dealers warning them to watch for unpaid water bills with the houses they are selling.

The lease the city held on a parking lot beside Stovall's store in Dexter expired Aug.

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It's Inside....

The Citizens Advisory Committee, established to determine the feasibility of a one- cent sales tax proposed for Sikeston, has first meeting. Turn to ... page 12.

A New Orleans doctor is reunited with her lost pet in Sikeston. Turn to ... page 3.

Former Charleston resident is named to the staff at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn. Turn to ... page 8.

..... And Outside

Variable cloudiness through Wednesday; low tonight around 60; high Wednesday 75-80; wind tonight light and variable.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy and mild Thursday through Saturday; highs near 80, lows in the 50s; little or no preciptation is expected.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24 - hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 75 and 54 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 7:04 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...6:43 a.m.
Moonset this eve.....7:46 p.m.
First Quarter .....Sept. 23

The planet Mercury is now between the moon and the sun. Its distance from the Earth is now a little more than that of the sun and it may be visible next week.

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Tuesday, September 17 — Citizenship Day. Rosh Hashana.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

The returning vacationers reports that they spent their vacation in a primitive place — fifty miles from an electric can opener.

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People who have raucous laughs are inclined to use them too often.

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A favor is seldom worth what it costs. The man granting it is apt to say that you are not as appreciative as you should be, and that you took it as a matter of course. Don't accept favors, if you can avoid it.

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Tell it like it is: More than the ordinary number of viewers probably tuned in to KTLA-TV to watch Ray Milland and Charles Laughton in a 1948 movie whose title, according to the TV- listings section of the Long Beach, California, Independent, Press- Telegram, was Big Cock.

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We have always admired Teutonic technology, but this one we've got to see to believe. As the headline in the Commercial and Financial Chronicle put it: "German Firm to Make Dick Duplicators."

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NATIONAL POLICE FORCE UNNECESSARY

Crime has reached such proportions in this country that if the trend is not reversed we may be forced to operate under a national police force.

This awesome statement was uttered recently by Attorney General William B. Saxbe in a speech to police chiefs from the country's largest cities.

Warning that we are losing the war against crime, Saxbe said: "The options are very limited as we face the future. If we go on as we are, there is every possibility that crime will inundate us. The nation then would be faced with the prospect of falling apart or devising a national police force in one final effort to restore domestic order."

And, as he put it, a national police force would lead to "total control over our lives."

In other words, if we can't control crime in this country under our Constitutional form of government, we must start down the road to a totalitarian form of government.

Certainly this is not necessary.

This increase in crime is undoubtedly due to the permissive age in which we are living. Punishment is reduced or eliminated entirely. Trials are delayed — sometimes indefinitely. Less and less bond is required for those charged with crimes. Gradually we are moving away from a standard under which criminals are punished for their acts, to procedures whereby hardened criminals are permitted to enjoy freedom without bond, on probation or parole. And, in many instances, they continue to murder and rob innocent citizens.

Now is the time for a turnabout. Not to a national police force but to a respect for law and order beginning in the home. Parents must demand obedience. Enforcement officials and the judiciary must strengthen their reaction to crime beginning with even the smallest infractions.

The honest upright citizens in the country must give the police full cooperation and back those legislators who fight for integrity in the offices they hold.

The fight against crime is your war. We must fight it to secure our freedom.

"You're in on This Too, Pal!"

TOMORROW
SEPTEMBER 18 — WEDNESDAY

CHILE: NATIONAL HOLIDAY. Sept. 18. Gained independence from Spain, 1818.

SAMUEL JOHSON'S BIRTHDAY. Sept. 18. English author and lexicographer, born, Lichfield, Sept. 18, 1709. Died, London, Dec. 13, 1784.

RAMADAN [FAST BEGINS]. Sept. 18. Muslim festival begins at sunset on previous day. Month of fasting follows. Keyed to lunar calendar, the 1st day of Ramadan may vary by one day.

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POT CALLS THE KETTLE BLACK

The chairman of the Republican State Committee has charged that Sen. Cason, (Democrat) and some other Democratic state officers are using their office postal expense account to mail out letters that are actually campaign propaganda.

It's another case of the "pot calling the kettle black".

Every day or so the Appeal receives a letter from Republican State Auditor Ashcroft, a candidate for reelection, telling how efficient he and his force are, etc., etc., etc. Neither is Gov. Bond above praising his Republican administration and fellow Republican state officers in those Governor's news stories he sends out, at state expense.

Both sides would do the taxpayers a favor if they'd confine themselves to current problems, and something more constructive than praising party members in the hope they'll gain a vote for their party - or themselves.

—Paris Appeal

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HOW TO GROW UP BEFORE COLLEGE

Lost in the suffle of gossip of Watergate are numerous items of considerable importance, if only someone would pay attention.

There is, for example, the report just issued by a panel appointed by Richard Nixon and known by the impressive title of "The President's Science Advisory Panel on Youth."

Ordinarily this report could be dismissed as casually as most government treatises on youth. But this one is a bit different. Its chairman is Dr. James F. Coleman, eductor and professor of sociology at the University of Chicago.

Dr. Coleman is generally regarded as a sound and sensible, though frequently daring professor in the field of education. The fact that he has three sons of his own contributes to his expertise.

In the panel report for which he was responsible, Dr. Coleman recommends that America's youth drop out of school for a year before entering college, and learn something of job responsibility, and how to cope with the world.

"They should take the year out between high school and college and work at a serious full- time job to bring them more quickly to maturity," Dr. Coleman said in releasing the panel's report.

The idea is to give the young adult the opportunity to support himself during that year; and if he continues to live at home, to contribute to the family finances. Usually, he becomes a man in a hurry.

The panel report points out that today's young people mature physically much earlier than their parents and grandparents did, but the social independence comes later than ever before.

"I don't know of any society that has kept young people from serious contact with adults as fully as our society does today," Dr. Coleman said.

The year - out- of - school before college idea sounds practical, but there is a danger here.

The youth may become so attached to his interim job that he will never get back to college; and with more and more requirement on a college diploma in business and today's permanent job market, he may wind up in a mediocre slot for life.

But times are changing when financing for a college education was easier for parents in the years before inflation forced up the costs, so the work- ethic may be more of a necessity. This is nothing new to those of an older generation who worked their way through college because they had no other choice.

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Even a mosquito doesn't get a slap on the back until he begins working.

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DATA PROCESS CARDS CALLED RECYCLABLE BY SPECIALISTS

The nation.s top corporations annually turn out more than 60 million pounds of recyclable data processing cards and paper which, at six cents a pound, would be worth about $3,600,000, according to Chaker Fadel who is in charge of paper collection at The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.

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NORTH SLOPE CLEANUP

Years ago, before the fragile nature of the tundra and northern vegetation was well understood, oil exploration crews on the North Slope of Alaska were not unduly concerned about leaving empty barrels and other wastes behind them in a wilderness that most of mankind would never see. Today, the situation is different, and oil companies are rectifying past mistakes. The way they are doing it is another illustration of how technology and human ingenuity can respond to environmental needs.

A press release from Anchorage, Alaska, shows a monstrous truck -- a "Rolligon" by name -- loaded with empty 50- gallon drums apparently crushing a man to death as it rolls over him. Strangely, however, the "victim" looks as if he is placidly studying the flowers of the tundra on which he is lying. The "Rolligon" rolls on, leaving him unscathed and the tundra virtually untouched. A fleet of these trucks was developed to serve a specific purpose. They were employed by a group of oil companies during the summer of 1971 in a clean- up project covering 1,125 square miles of the Arctic tundra. The giant trucks rolling on their inflated, rubber- bag tires and driven by Eskimo crews picked up 5,680 barrels and 15 tons of assorted debris. The $120,000 project restored the tundra to its original appearance, and no tracks were left behind as evidence of the clean-up job. Under new rules, imposed by the industry in the fall of 1969, all barrels, wire and unburnable debris are brought into central stacking locations, and combustible materials are burned as they are used.

The U.S. desperately needs the oil and natural gas which could be made available from the North Slope area of Alaska. Concern, such as evidenced in this clean- up project, provides further and convincing proof that we can indeed develop Alaskan oil resources that we must have and, at the same time, leave unharmed the delicate Arctic region.

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An Irish attorney was making the best of a rather shaky case when the judge interrupted him on a point of law. "Surely," he asked, "your clients are aware of the doctrine de minimis non curat lex?"

"I assure you, my lord," came the suave reply, "that, in the remote and inhospitable hamlet where my clients have their humble abode, it forms the sole topic of conversation."

The improbable Irish

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COMPETITION ALIVE AND WELL

There is plenty of evidence that competition is still very much alive even though the marketplace is dominated by a web of government controls. In many instances, the evidence takes the form of new promotional ideas to attract customers.

Sometime ago, the publication "Travel Weekly" told of how a company operating a chain of motor hotels in 28 states planned to offer trading stamps to its guests. While this company, by any standard of measurement, is already an outstanding success in its field -- 100 motel properties with 10,000 rooms -- its management is fully conscious of the fact that if it is to remain one of the top 15 hotel and motel chains in the nation, it must continue to work to attract the traveling public. It is utilizing trading stamps as a way of saying "Thank you for patronage." Of course, as has been the case with merchants using trading stamps, there will be those who raise the old cry that promotion means higher prices never having seemed to learn that promotion is what keeps the wheels of any enterprise turning and, in the long run, means better service, higher volume and lower prices.

The principle of mass merchandising applies to the motel business just as it does to any other business. Every enterprise must use some form of promotion to attract customers and stay in business. Trading stamps have proven one of the most economically sound and, from the standpoint of the customer, one of the most beneficial of all promotions. As has often been pointed out, when trading stamps are given, the consumer receives something of value instead of nothing.

The main point, however, is that promotion and advertising are a solid part of the foundation of a business system that has given the U.S. an unparalleled level of abundance.

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IS THE U. S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY GUILTY?

There was an interesting development a few days ago in the office of the U. S. District Attorney for the western half of Missouri. The U. S. Attorney is Bert C. Hurn. He is a Republican and there is nothing wrong with that.

Mr. Hurn had an assistant by the name of Patrick E. Eldridge and he, too, is a Republican. That, too, is all right.

But when Mr. Eldridge resigned his post he had some comments that do not speak too well of his boss, Mr. Hurn. Mr. Eldridge charged in no uncertain terms that Mr. Hurn was politically motivated in his long grand jury investigation of the administration of former Governor Warren E. Hearnes.

He had some rather strong words about his former boss and his comments are what many Democrats over Missouri have believed were behind the Hurn investigations.

Mr. Eldridge said:

"I feel your persistence in the grand jury investigation and possible indictments of individuals with the former Democratic administration of the state of Missouri is purely political in nature.

"Your preoccupation with the investigation of the former Democratic administration has, I honestly believe, prevented you from seeing what really goes on in this office, and I refer to the dedication and work of all assistants on their assigned cases."

The Stanberry Headlight

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AND YOUR CAR, TOO

The Minneapolis Star

The furious debate over the impact and implications of the movie about exorcism seems to have died down. Still, a secondary report on the fad is, we submit, worth passing on. What, a self-annointed authority was asked, happens when the rite fails? The answer: "You are repossessed."

H.L. Hunt

LESSONS FROM GULAG

Alexander Solzhenitsyn's masterpiece, Gulag Archipelago, has been close to the top of U.S. best- seller lists for many weeks. It is encouraging that so many of our citizens are reading this book. Not only will it inform them as to the true nature of communism, Gulag can also teach us all the characteristics of a totalitarian state so that whenever we see any of these things in our own society we can fight them with all our strength.

Solzhenitsyn makes clear that when a nation turns from God and tries to conduct its public business without Him, that nation is in deep trouble. Countless Russians still practice Christianity in secret, but the official ideology denies God.

Because of this denial, totalitarianism denies the worth of the individual. The individual person has no value except to serve the state. Human life is viewed from a utilitarian standpoint. Those who serve no immediately and materially useful purpose, such as the unborn, the elderly, and the handicapped, are seen to have no right to live.

The family unit loses its sacredness. Marriage has no religious character; divorce is simply a matter of convenience. Law is dependent on the whim of the men in power. Justice has no meaning in a totalitarian society.

Privacy is lost as the government intrudes into every area of life. Bureaucratic orders regulate the most insignificant details of business and even of personal life. Solzhenitsyn describes these things in their full horror in Soviet society. We can see their beginnings in our own society. We must dedicate our lives to fighting these evils. HLH

Inside Labor

by Victor Riesel

Ford Badly Advised: Summits Won't Prevent Sudden Serious National Unemployment

WASHINGTON — Jerry Ford told the labor chiefs when literally he went eyeball to eyeball with them in the White House East Room the other day and then lunched with them on chicken in the State Dining Room that he wanted the "unvarnished truth." As he said later privately, he and his top advisers sure got it.

One union leader said something stinks. Another referred to parts of the anatomy which make up most of the expletives deleted from news reports. But it was the bouncy longshoremen's chief Teddy Gleason, who by imperishable parable, put his finger o the crux of today's chilling crisis.

And that is -- the specter of mass unemployment. How much joblessness will be needed to cool inflation? It must first be understood that Teddy has captured the candor which the White House press office has found so elusive.

Ask Gleason how he is, and he'll say "perpendicular," – if he's standing. So we find him during the afternoon labor mini- summit session, declaring that he doesn't want another "WPA" (the Roosevelt- depression- era sometimes ersatz job- making Work Progress Administration). Why?

"Because they don't make strong enough shovels these days," added Gleason.

The reference was to the charge that WPA employes reported in to work during the morning and leaned on their shovels most of the day. Gleason then explained why his International Longshoremen's Assn. (AFL-CIO) had fought for and won a guaranteed annual wage which assures a dock- walloper $16,000 a year whether he works or not and costs the New York shippers about $40 million annually.

In effect, Gleason said he expects heavy depression- type joblessness around the nation and on June 28 he and his ILA high council had signed a new contract protecting their pier workers for another three years. In effect, Gleason was scoffing at the President's announcement that some $415 million would soon be spent to create 85,000 public service jobs.

Who will take such municipal and state "jobs" at $100 a week or less? Who will set the pay? How can this WPA- type work offer wages – $7,500 or $10,000 a year which heads of families, members of AFL-CIO unions, professionals would need?

How could someone such as Jerry Wurf, the oratorical hammer thrower, permit such WPA workers to replace his own unionized state, county and municipal employees and undercut the wage scales for which he and his local officials have paralyzed whole cities, vast garbage collection and even police departments with crippling strikes?

Obviously, this, far more than what appeared to some observers to be silly attacks on the budget and tax systems, is the sheer gut of today's inrushing economic disaster. The national labor chiefs talk much about public service jobs -- but apparently don't really want them for their own members.

There are about 500,000 construction workers jobless across the nation. Despite what labor has said officially about the need for a million public service jobs, none of the building and construction unionists will be permitted to undercut their $10 and $15 an hour union brethren by taking $2.50 an hour WPA repair work.

Thus, while it's true that this summitry gives the President a chance to meet many labor chiefs for the first time, and get some into the White House where they've never been and eat in the State Dining Room for the first and probably the last time, the mini- summits are futile.

And so will be the series of 45- minute mini- mini- summits with each group bringing its final report to President Ford on the eve of the giant mass gathering Sept. 27 and 28 probably in the Washington Hilton ballroom.

This project is imagery without substance. It will hurt the President. It will hurt the nation. It is reminiscent of the post- World War II labor-management conference run by President Truman and that gentle genius, the late Prof. George Taylor of the Wharton School of Business.

It ended with twin anti-climaxes despite the star-studded cast -- far more celebrity- laden than most of today's mini and major summits. One, it concluded that binding arbitration is a fine way to settle emergency strikes. Two: the then incumbent Teamster's president, the late Dan Tobin, in a hog- calling voice, accused the industrialists of stealing his overcoat.

The labor- management conferences of the late Jack Kennedy and Lyndon Johnson talked themselves to death.

So will today's parleys. When they wind up during the month's final days, inflation will be hotter, retail and wholesale prices will be higher, unemployment will be rocketing, public anger will be louder -- and no solutions will have been offered. Thus, the sheer publicizing of the inflation plague is self-defeating. It should all have been done behind the scenes. there should have been a series of end- to- end, closed- door, hard- talk showdowns.

This positively has not happened. There has been some talk about a productivity committee. And some cabinet members have told labor leaders, off the record, they'll keep in touch "afterwards."

But restraint, the key to it all, can only have been agreed on in private. President Ford and his counselors, still green to Washington, just have not gone in for secret diplomacy.

Instead, they put everybody on television and on the record, so the militancy was and is inevitable. And you might say "ir- retreatable." No one can agree on charity wages, in public. The show should never have been put on the road.

Art Buchwald

'WILL 10 ANGELS STEP FORWARD?"

WASHINGTON – When President Ford pardoned Richard Nixon he said in his speech, "I do believe the buck stops here and that I cannot rely on public opinion polls to tell me what is right. I do believe that right makes might, and that if I am wrong 10 angels swearing I was right would make no difference . . ."

Gabriel came on the Cloud 9 drill field, blew his horn, and all the angels lined up in close order formation at attention.

"All right," he barked, "I want 10 volunteers front and center."

No one moved.

"Aw, c'mon guys. This is a very important mission. It's going to bring you down to earth."

Still no one stepped forward.

Gabriel was becoming angry. "If no one volunteers, I'm going to pick 10 of you willy- nilly from the group."

"What do we have to do?" one of the angels in the back row asked.

"I want 10 angels to go down to Washington, D.C."

"You must be crazy, Gabriel. An angel can get killed there."

"I know it's dangerous. That's why we're offering everyone hazard pay. But this is a very important job, and the future of the United States of America depends on it."

"What's the mission?" an angel asked.

"We want 10 of you to go to the White House and swear that Gerry Ford did the right thing when he pardoned former President Nixon," Gabriel replied.

"Are you out of your blinkin' mind?" an angel cried. "Why would we want to swear to something like that?"

Gabriel said, "Mr. Ford needs all the support he can get. This pardon thing has him in a box, and if he could get 10 angels to support him it might turn the country around."

An Angel said, "Anyone that gets involved in that can of beans has to be bonkers."

Gabriel protested, "But we have to show mercy. That's our job. Surely out of the many thousands of you up here, there are 10 angels willing to swear that Gerry Ford's decision was the right one."

Someone said, "Gabriel, there's a long- distance call for you."

"I'll do it," a deep voice said on the phone.

Gabriel went white. "I'm sorry, Lucifer. I don't think you'd be right for this mission. But I appreciate your volunteering."

"I know more about this thing than anyone else," Lucifer said.

"We're well aware of that. But there is a certain credibility problem. There are some people who think the Watergate thing was your idea."

"You're always putting me down, Gabriel. You said you wanted 10 angels to swear Mr. Ford was right. Well, I'm offering my services, and I don't even want hazard pay."

"I'm sorry, Lucifer. The Boss wants you to keep away from Mr. Ford. Ever since you erased the 18½ minutes of tape, He thinks it best that you stay out of the White House."

Lucifer said in disgust, "Boy, you make one mistake around here and no one lets you forget it."

Washington-Merry-Go-Round

by Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: The Confessions of a Mafia Lieutenant

WASHINGTON — We have obtained the confessions of a Mafia Lieutenant, with a memory as long as his police record.

He is Eugene Ayotte, who used to be known in the Detroit underworld as "Johnny A." Now he is hiding under an assumed identity conferred upon him by the Justice Dept.

He has told us about his life in the Mafia, the shadowy society to which he had sworn loyalty. It is a story of gangland lovenests and hangouts, of bizarre crimes and corrupt police.

It is also the story of murder, of men garroted with wire and encased in concrete. At least one victim, according to Johnny A, would up in a Detroit freeway. Thereafter, Mafia men would say of a missing hood, with grisly humor, that "he's part of the freeway."

Like the late Joe Valachi whose Mafia confessions made headlines in the 1960s, Ayotte's revelations ring true. Federal prosecutors vouch for his reliability. The Senate crime files and other records verify his memory for names and details.

Johnny A worked for the Detroit Mafia, a criminal empire that embraces everything from bookies to blackmail, narcotics to the numbers racket -- virtually every enterprise that produces an illegal coin.

A council of dons rules the multimillion dollar empire through might. They have no competition; serious rivals are either dead or intimidated. Now Ayotte is on the run from them. For the old crime lords would like to shut Ayotte up.

But Ayotte is still talking, first to the prosecutors and now to us. He remembers Anthony J. Zerilli; identified by the Justice Dept. as a "Big Man" in the Mafia, was a swinger with the ritziest lovenest in town.

The mob chief owned a posh restaurant with a small hidden office which opened on a luxurious suite, complete with two bedrooms, a bar, "beautiful carpet and furniture, colored telephones, the works."

Both bedrooms, according to Johnn A, "had round beds, beautiful, and mirrors all around, even the ceiling. It looked like Tony Zerilli was a little weird ..., liked to watch himself with the broads ... From inside or outside, you couldn't even tell the place was there ... Only the top (Mafia men) would be allowed in."

Love and death sometimes went together. Ayotte tells of a Mafia punk, named Ubai "Roy" Calabresse, who made a mistake in recruiting a prostitute. He introduced the girl to drugs and then "put her out on the street."

Unhappily for Calabresse, she was the daughter of a Mafia section leader. Two men grabbed Calabresse, "wired him up" -- the Mafia term for garroting -- and left him in the trunk of an abandoned car. As the final gesture, a pig was trussed and strangled, and then delivered to one of Calabresse's hangouts.

"This was a warning to anyone who knew who killed Calabresse not to squeal," explained Johnny A. "I knew Roy. I used to drink with him ... at the Falcon Street Show Bar. (But) you just don't question too much these things as it's not healthy."

When a gambler disappeared after giving information to the police, they searched high and low for him. They even descennded upon the fabulous farms of Mafia leaders like Angelo Meli. But Ayotte could have told them the place to look was a Detroit freeway, then under construction. The missing gambler had been mixed with the freeway cement.

One of Ayotte's criminal specialties was arson. Once, he contracted to burn a vacant building so the owner could collect fire insurance. As an economy measure, he hired a cheap "torch man" named "Smokey" to set the blaze.

Smokey came back from the conflagration in terrible shape, "with his hair burned half off, his eyelashes gone." Ayotte observed sourly that Smokey's "partner set the match to burn the gasoline and it burned before Smokey could get out."

Next time, Ayotte hired a professional, known as "Butchy," who had enlisted remnants of Detroit's old "Purple Gang" into a crack, Cleveland- based pryo team. They brought to the job "gunpowder, fuses, gas with a chemical so as to leave no trace ... They brought enough to use on a dozen joints."

They burned down a building, another "insurance job," for an owner Ayotte knew as "Singing Sam." "The place," recalled Ayotte with professional satisfaction, "was a total."

Although Johnny A has now switched sides, he still chuckles over how Secret Service agents overlooked evidence right under their noses when they arrested Joe Yoppolo, a prominent Toledo gangster otherwise known as "Big Joe Yap," on counterfeiting charges.

Ayotte happened to be on the phone to Yoppolo while the feds were searching his premises. Afterwards, Big Joe Yap told him the agents missed a stolen $1,000 bond in plain view on the china cupboard and a heisted, full- length sable coat in the front closet. "That sable stood out like a sore thumb," grinned Yoppolo, according to Ayotte.

Like a character from an old George Raft movie, Johnny A told us his story -- an insider's eye view of a nationwide criminal conspiracy that drains billions of dollars a year from the public.

We'll publish another installment in a future column.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	7¼	8¼
Bk Bldg & Equip	10¼	10¾
Anheuser Busch	22¾	23¼
Martha Manning	1¼	1¾
Chase Nat	7¾	8¾
Olson Bros	1	1¼
Pabst Brewing	13¼	13¾
Scottish Inns	1½	1¾
Wetterau	11½	12¼
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		17½
American Tel & Tel		40½
American Motors		5
Chrysler		12¼
Columbia Gas		16
Eaton Mfg		22½
Ford Motors		38¼
General Motors		36¾
Interstate Brands		5
Malone & Hyde		14¼
Mid South Util		9½
J. C. Penney		46½
New England Elect		12½
Occidential Pet		7½
WalMart Stores		14½

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

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Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Wednesday:

6,000 hogs, 500 cattle and 100 sheep.

Hog receipts 7,000 head. Butchers 50-75 lower.

Sows steady to 50 lower. US 1-3 200-250 lb butchers 34.50-34.75; US 1-2 210-240 lb 34.75-35.00; US 1-3 170-180 lbs 29.00-29.50.

US 1-3 300-350 lb sows 28.25 29.00; 350-600 lbs 27.00-27.50.

Boars under 250 lbs 29.00 29.50; over 250 lbs 23.50-23.75.

Cattle receipts 1,500 head.

Salughter steers and heifers steady to 50 lower.

Cows and bulls steady.

Choice 1000-1100 lb slaughter steers yield 2-4 40.50-42.00; 800 950 lbs 38.00-39.50.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat futures prices were firm in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today, but corn and soybeans were irregular.

On the opening, Chicago wheat was 1 to 4 cents a bushel higher, September 4.25; Gulf hard red wheat was not traded; corn was unchanged to 3 lower, September 3.36 1/2; oats were 1 1/4 to 6 lower, September 1.60 1/2 and soybeans were 1 lower to 1 1/2 higher, September 7.62 1/2.

School board to apply for transport aid

CHARLESTON — The Charleston R-1 School District board of education has agreed to apply for a grant of up to $5,000 to be used for the district's welfare transportation program.

The grant application will be made for Title IV funds under the Social Security Act for aid to dependent children from the district needing transportation to the Missiouri Division of Welfare Office at Charleston. The board made the decision to apply for funds at a meeting last week.

Currently, the district is paying for transportation of ADC children in need of medical, psychiatric or other services. The grant will allow for up to 75 per cent funding of $5,000.

In other business, the board received two bids for repair of the hail- damaged high school roof. Board officials plan to negotiate with the insurance company for cost figures before accepting a bid.

Drury Tile Co. of Cape Girardeau submitted a bid of $8,960 for a new roof with a 20- year guarantee. A second bid of $3,751.55 was received from Joseph M. Reeves, a representative of Texas Refinery Corp., for repairs only

Joseph Caton was hired by the board as counsel for grades kindergarten through 12, and Miss Mary Atwater was contracted to replace Mrs. Charlotte Mallory as social studies instructor at the high school.

The board announced a tentative date for the dedication of the high school athletic complex on Oct. 18.

The complex will be dedicated to John Harris Marshall, a former football coach and teacher who also served as high school principal and superintendent of the district.

The board also approved a proposal presented by Mrs. Eileen Ochse, Glenn White and Keith Schaffer for a character education program. The program would give an alternative education program to youth, concentrating on the students and their needs.

Letter reunites lost pet and New Orleans owner

Dr. Barbara Schroeder of New Orleans had a happy reunion with her pet Molly Saturday in Sikeston after more than a month's separation.

Dr. Schroeder, a cancer research bio- chemist with Tulane University, was involved in an accident Aug. 9 near Charleston. Her car was destroyed and the bus line she had to travel on would not allow Molly to make the trip, so, temporary accomodations for the dog were found at the Sikeston Pound until Dr. Schroeder could return.

Molly had other ideas about staying with the other dogs at the pound and before Dr. Schroeder could return, Molly dug her way out.

Since then, Sikeston Humane Officer Bob Beardsley has been trying to locate the dog all over town. A letter, written to the Daily Standard by Dr. Schroeder described Molly in detail and led to the eventual reunion.

A dog fitting Molly's description was seen several times at the Sikeston Country Club. Last week, Beardsley received a call from a woman golfer at the club who was sure she recognized Molly from the letter. Beardsley made positive identification and the chase was on. Beardsley reported to the Standard that one afternoon he and four boys tried to capture Molly for more than three hours without result. Molly just doesn't like men and she managed to elude all capture attempts. Maybe she was happy with the table scraps she sometimes got from friendly staff members.

Dr. Schroeder was notified that Molly had been found and she and an associate, Anne Larsen, who had suggested the letter to the Standard, arrived in Sikeston Saturday. They went with Beardsley to the country club to find Molly. Dr. Schoreder's first whistle got Molly's attention and, according to Beardsley, the second brought the dog in at a gallop.

Dr. Schroder said Molly would not stop "talking" to her after they got back together. The trio returned to New Orleans Saturday.

Molly tells her tale

Dr. Barbara Schroeder of New Orleans listened Saturday as Molly, her part Lewellyn Setter, whined and barked about her experiences on the loose in Sikeston since an accident separated them here more than a month ago. (Daily Standard photo)

Remodeling projects begin

BLOOMFIELD — Construction has begun on two remodeling projects at the Stoddard County Courthouse, according to Stoddard County Clerk John Marvin Capps.

Capps said the ceilings in the old building are being lowered and new electrical wiring is being installed at a cost of $11,928.

Richey Electric Co. of Dexter submitted low bid for the electrical work of $6,428. The successful bidder on the ceiling project was Busy Bee Lumber Co. of Dexter with a bid of $5,500.

Capps said the work is expected to be completed by Nov. 1.

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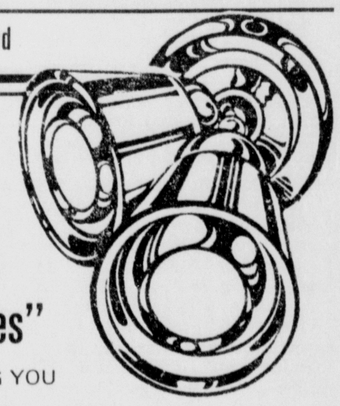

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Real Estate
By CHARLES MITCHELL
REALTOR

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The secret, however, is to sell the house under the conditions that the papers will pass and title will be conveyed in, say, 90 or 120 days. This way, you avoid the possibility of owning two homes at the same time.

True, it puts you in a position of being forced to buy another home, but this was your original intention anyway. With a concerted erfort, one should be able to buy the right property in the 90 or 120 days allotted.

Also, you avoid the possibility of panic- selling your original home (a good way to lose money), plus you'll know exactly how much money will be available for a down payment on the new house.

(Editor's Note: Mr. Mitchell is Past President of the Sikeston Board of Realtors and is currently serving as Vice- President of the Missouri Association of Realtors.)

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Prayer for today

from the Upper Room

"Man looks on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart." (I Samuel 16:7)

PRAYER: Our Father, help us that we not draw the curtain of exclusiveness about us. May we learn to look upon the heart, rather than upon outward appearance, and have the Master's singleness of purpose -- to bring others into the fold. Amen.

Bernie float wins first prize

DEXTER — Dexter Jaycee president R. J. Riddle announced the three winning floats following a Monday evening parade which opened the 1974 Jaycee- sponsored Stoddard County Fair.

The $100 first prize was awarded to the Bernie High School chapter of Future Farmers of American for a float titled "Wildwood Flower," based on, Jim Stafford's popular song, "Wildwood Weed". The float featured a live pig and, as in the song, a boy sitting on a windmill.

The second prize of $75 went to Dexter Boy Scout Troop 70 for a float featuring a "back to nature" theme. Props included scouts seated around a real campfire, tree limb decorations and boys dressed as Indians.

The third prize of $50 went to the Dexter Young Farmers Wives for a float called "Then and Now", showing the different lifestyles of farm women of today and yesteryear

"This was the biggest parade we've ever had," Riddle stated after crowds had lined the parade route two to three deep in most places.

Float judges Peggy Young, Barbara Hill and Virginia Daniels viewed the parade from a flatbed truck and took only a few minutes after the parade to make their decisions.

Twelve area marching bands appeared, ten floats were entered, as well as beauty queens from the area and their attendants.

Also in the parade were commercial exhibits from area businesses.

New tennis court completed

BLOOMFIELD — Construction of a long sought second tennis court in the city park has been completed and is ready for use. The first court, built several years ago by the Bloomfield Lions Club, has been extensively used by tennis enthusiasts.

The new court was built by the City Park Board with the aid of contributions from various civic clubs in the city.

Firefighting equipment to be demonstrated

DEXTER — Fire Chief Al Banken announced Monday that new fire- fighting equipment will be demonstrated at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday on Mathews Street north of the Swift and Co. plant.

Banken said a foam-producing machine will be demonstrated in as realistic a manner as possible.

The fire department will set fire to a deserted house while the equipment is a few blocks away. The firemen will rush to the scene as if it were a real emergency and use the equipment to fill the house with foam and put out the blaze, Banken said.

The foam- producing equipment is owned by Waters and Co., a Sikeston firm.

6 treated

Six accident patients were treated and released Monday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Treated were: Ken E. Lehmann, 14, Sikeston, multiple bruises and scratches when hit by car; Lonnie J. Morris, 11, New Madrid, possible fracture of right elbow in fall; Sandra L. Nunn, 11, Wolf Island, bruised fourth and fifth fingers of right hand.

James R. Washburn, 54, Sikeston, cut right leg in fall; Michael D. Partin, 11, Vanduser, cut left knee, upper left forearm and left foot in fall on bicycle; and Steven R. Hill, 10, Sikeston, bruised chest while playing football.

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2 Sikeston women named class agents

JACKSON, Tenn. — Mrs. Howard Reed of 9 Beaird Drive and Mrs. Wade Paris of 908 Ruth St. Sikeston, Mo., have been named class agents for the Union University 1974-75 alumni campaign.

Mrs. Reed is the agent for the class of 1962 and Mrs. Paris the class of 1959. They are among 77 agents serving various classes of the Baptist college.

As class agents they will give leadership to the annual drive for monies among Union University graduates and ex- studensts of their appropriate classes.

In the 1973-74 drive, the 1962 class contributed $277 and the 1959 class gave $235. Total contributed from 813 ex- students of the institution last year was $31,233.84.

"The monies raised this year will go to help bridge the gap between what the students pay for their education and what it actually costs," said William A. Foote, director of alumni affairs and annual support.

"Students normally pay about half of the cost of their education, not including room, board, books and supplies," commented Foote. "The remainder of this cost must be raised through contributions from various sources, including our alumni."

National chairman of the current campaign which has a goal of $50,000 is Glenn Rainey, Jackson businessman and 1953 graduate of Union. He is directing the activities of the class agents throughout the campaignn which ends May 31, 1975.

Last year 12.8 per cent of the college's 6,500 alumni and ex-students contributed to the drive. The goal for participation for 1974-75 is 15 per cent.

"If we receive for the current campaign contributions from 2.2 per cent more alumni than last year, a total of $3,000 in challenge gifts will be presented the college from several anonymous donors," Foote said. "This means approximately 100 more individual contributions."

Since the annual alumni drive began in 1966, over $175,000 has been raised for the school.

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Lilbourn class of 1964 gathers for reunion

The Lilbourn High School graduating class of 1964 gathered Aug. 31 at New Madrid Country Club for a 10-year reunion. Twenty- five of the 46 original class members attended, and total attendance was 55. Class members and sponsors attending included: seated, from left, Linda (Baker) Doss of Granite City, Ill., Freda (Haralson) Smith and Shirley (Denton) Henderson of Memphis, Tenn., K. K. Thompson of Atlanta, Ga., Alice (Barnes) Johns of New Madrid, Violet (Nelson) Voss of St. Louis, Phyllis (Brock) Durmhiller of Albuquerque, N. M., Gloria (Lily) Moss of Denham Springs, La., Margaret (Nesselrodt) Weeks of Lilbourn, Cathey (Fraley) Daniels of Matthews, Brenda (Riley) Thompson of Blytheville, Ark., and Jackie (Berry) Roberts of Arnold. Standing, Gene Speight of O'Fallon, Joyce (Gremore) Lawfield of Catron, Sharon (Wilson) Inman of Michigan, Bill Turner of Cape Girardeau, Gale Timmons of Memphis, Tenn., Judy (Smith) Broughton of New Madrid, Ray Kettles of Sikeston, W. D. Prince of Marston, Mike Estes of Lilbourn, Roger Truett of Chicago, Ed Robertson of Charleston (senior trip sponsor), Darryl Moss of Denham Springs, La., Mrs. Ed Robertson of Charleston (senior trip sponsor), Gary Robinson of Sikeston, Mrs. Margaret Thompson of Sun City, Ariz. (teacher), and Jerry Henderson of Memphis, Tenn.

Ann Landers

Test is 'fine guide' for decision-making

Dear Ann Landers: I am still somewhat shell- shocked from what has happened to our former President, sixteen of his associates, and our former Vice- President. It seems the end is not yet in sight. Several high officials are still to be tried.

My children are asking me if this is "The New Morality." They want to know what to think and I don't know what to tell them.

The youngest, a boy 11, seemed completely bewildered last night after he had listened to a news commentator. His question was, "How can a person tell for sure if what he wants is right or wrong?"

Frankly, I don't have the answer. Do you? - Concerned Mother Who Loves Her Country.

Dear Mother: A few years ago I heard a sermon by the beloved pastor of The People's Church of Chicago, Dr. Preston Bradley. He discussed this very subject and quoted Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick's six- point test for deciding what is right and what is wrong. I asked Dr. Bradley if he would send me his distilled version and he did so at once. Here it is:

One: Does the course of action you plan to follow seem sensible and honorable to you? Never mind what anyone else has to say. If it does, it is probably right.

Two: Does it pass the test of sportsmanship? In other words, if everyone followed this same course of action, would the results be beneficial for all?

Three: Where will your plan of action lead? How will it affect others? What will it do to you?

Four: Will you think well of yourself when you look back at what you have done?

Five: Try to separate yourself from the problem. Pretend for a moment that it is the problem of the person you most admire. Ask yourself, "How would THAT person handle it?"

Six: Hold up the final decision to the glaring light of publicity. Would you want your family and friends to know what you have done? The decisions we make in the hope that no one will find out are usually wrong.

Dr. Fosdick's "Six- Point Plan" as described by Dr. Preston Bradley is, in my opinion, as fine a guide for decision- making as I have ever heard. I hope your children will find the answers they are seeking. They're all right there.

Dear Ann Landers: May I add one word to the letter signed "Plain Speaking"? The word is "Ditto."

It's high time someone commented on male promiscuity. For too many years we have been hearing some pretty harsh criticism of women who sleep around. They were called "tramps, trollops, pushovers, roundheels, chippies," etc. On the other hand, men who did the same thing were labeled "Lotharios, Romeos" -- nothing to suggest that there was anything wrong with it.

Now women are insisting on (and getting) equal rights, I believe they are justified in demanding the same standards from men that men have been demanding of them. Granted, some males aren't fussy about whether or not a woman has had previous sexual experience. But those who are should be able to come to the marriage bed with the same clean slate they demand of their brides. If they can't, they should keep their mouths shut.

I'm not suggesting that both sexes should be allowed to cat around with impunity. What I'm saying is that men who want a virgin should be virgins, also, or all bets (and name calling) are off. -- Sauce For The Goose

Dear Sauce: Now it's my turn to say, "Ditto." Thanks for writing.

Miller family meets

FREDERICKTOWN — The Miller family gathered for a reunion Aug. 18 in Memorial Park.

Attending were grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Miller of Marquand, whose children were the late Clarence A. Miller of Sikeston, Marvin Miller of Elvins, Olga M. Miller of Marquand, Mrs. John W. Watts of Flat River, Mrs. Sidney Smith of St. Louis and Mrs. E. E. Gough of Picher, Okla.

Because of the large attendance the cousins plan to make this an annual affair.

Attending were:

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Frankfort, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Frey and Larry and Mike Frey and Tim Vickery of Cape Girardeau; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Felker of Sikeston; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frey and Jeff, Joe and Amy of Scott City; C. W. "Lum" Miller of Oran; Dick Bidewell of Murray, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kujawa and Lisa, Michael and Nicky of Cahokia, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Huffman of Whitewater; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Miller Jr. and David, Becky Sue and Sara Beth, Mrs. Lester Miller Sr. and Mrs Louis Waldschmidt of Benton; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Watts and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Spence of Flat River.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cureton and Charlotte, Troy Cureton, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cureton and Laura and Mrs. Lola Whitworth, Missie White, Mrs. Lily Ward, Ben Tinnis and Mr. and Mrs. George Barker of Fredericktown; Charles Jaco of St. Clair and the Rev. and Mrs. Louis Jordan of Tamms, Ill.

Meetings

TUESDAY

Morehouse Order of the Eastern Star Chapter No. 4050 will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

TUESDAY

New leaders in the Girl Scout program will meet from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at First Christian Church.

TUESDAY

Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A.M. Jackson, 623 Moore Ave.

TUESDAY

Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Linda Darter, 402 Illinois Ave.

TUESDAY

Delta Community Diabetes Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Heritage House. The meeting is open to the public.

TUESDAY

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Gene Collins, 710 Mimosa Drive.

TUESDAY

Zi Epsilon Zeta chapter (Exemplars) of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7 p.m. at the home of Dorothy White, 120 Autumn Drive. The hostess will present a program on India.

THURSDAY

Anyone interested in church league volleyball should meet at 7:30 p.m. at 504 N. Ranney St.

THURSDAY

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Heritage House at 6:30 p.m. for a potluck supper.

THURSDAY

Sikeston Ministerial Alliance will meet at 10 a.m. at First Christian Church.

MONDAY AND THURSDAY

Women interested in playing volleyball may do so from 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays in the Sikeston High School girls gymnasium. The sport is part of the Sikeston adult education program. For further information, call 471-2013 or 471-4090.

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Linda Chism bride of Earl A. Tillman

The marriage of Linda Kay Chism and Earl Allen Tillman was solemnized Aug. 31 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Chism, 501 S. New Madrid St. The groom is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Kelly Tolbert, 126 N. Handy St. The Rev. Mr. Tolbert performed the double- ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor- length gown of taffeta. The bodice was designed with ruffles over the shoulders and a stand-up ruffle at the neckline. The waist had a tie back sash, and the sleeves ended with a large ruffle at the wrist, all edged in lace.

Her headpiece was flower-topped with a bow and trimmed in seed pearls with a three- tiered shoulder- length veil. She carried a bouquet of white carnations with lace and satin ribbon tied in love knots with long streamers.

Miss Kim Green, was maid of honor and Jerry Chism, brother of the bride, was best man.

A reception followed the ceremony. The bride's chosen colors of blue and white were used in decorating the reception table. Miss Judy Chism and Miss Pamela Tidwell helped in serving the guests.

The couple lives at 215 Harry St.

The bride to be was honored at a bridal shower Aug. 15 given by Pamela Tidwell and Judy Chism at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen Tillman

Church Women United to sew quilted pads

Future activities of Church Women United were announced during a meeting of the executive committee of the group at 1:30 p.m. Sept. 9 at Hunter Memorial First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Tom Bloomfield, treasurer, reported that $50 has been sent to the migrant ministry and $10 donated to the fund to rebuild the Little League bleachers.

Members were urged to bring clean, usable clothing for the clothing depot. Mrs. Jewell Allen reported to the committee that the depot at the Sikeston Activity Center has served over 1,000 people in the past few months.

The work days held each month on the fourth Thursday have produced lap robes for Sikeston Convalescent Center and Shuffit's Nursing Home No. 2, examination gowns for the Health Center, terry cloth bibs for the convalescent center and maternity tops for the clothing depot.

At the next Work Day, scheduled Sept. 26, quilted pads for the Home for Aged Baptists in Ironton will be bound.

Canceled stamps may be saved and sent to the Washington State Council of Churches in Seattle, Wash., with the money derived from this program to be used to provide food for hungry people around the world. The Church World Service Blanket Drive will send used blankets through the agency,or $3 will purchase new blankets, to be used in needy areas around the world.

Mrs. Minnie Sprowles announced that the World Community Day program will be held at 2 p.m. Nov. 1 at West End Baptist Church. Futher plans for this program will be made at the next Church Women United executive committee meeting at 1 p.m. Sept. 26 in Sikeston Activity Center.

New books arrive at library

New books for adults have arrived at Sikeston Public Library.

Fiction:

"The Basil and Josephine Stories", by Scott Fitzgerald.

"The Other Room", by Borden Deal.

"Parrish for the Defense", by Hillary Waugh.

"Myself Christopher Wren", by David Weiss.

"Return of the Virginian", by H. Allen Smith.

"The Coast Of Fear", by Leslie Waller.

Non-Fiction:

"Nothing Is Impossible With God", by Kathryn Kuhlman.

"How To Run a Small Business", by J.K. Lasser.

"The Saturday Morning Gardener", by Donald Wyman.

"Sir Walter Raleigh", by Robert Lacey.

"Someone Cares", by Helen Steiner Rice.

"Complete Book of Decorating", by Mary Kraft.

Clothes Closet Clues

Wrong clothing makes social adjustment slower

By JEWEL GRADY
Area Textiles & Clothing Specialist

There are many factors to consider in selecting school clothes. Perhaps the most important factor to consider is the understanding of clothing by the youngster or young adult.

The right kind of clothing can be a great asset in growing up. The wrong kind of clothing makes social adjustment slower. If a boy or girl feels their clothing is not right, they may tend to withdraw from their friends.

In general, a child wants clothing to conform to the style of the group. Conformity is especially important to elementary school children.

The easy to manage garments are characteristics children like. A child is impatient if dressing takes too long or is difficult

Good fit is essential to comfort. Comfortable clothing provides freedom of movement for a child's active life.

Some young children don't mind hand- me- downs and may even feel grown- up when wearing something that belonged to another. Around age 8 or 9 they change their attitude and may object to handed- down garments. Minor changes may be made on handed- down garments, such as changing buttons, adding trim, or perhaps adding one of the popular embroidery patches. This can personalize the garment before it is passed on to its new owner.

Jewel Grady

Parents and children may not agree on selection of school clothes. Children want color, styles and clothes like their friends are wearing. Parents look for easy care, good wearing features and value for the money they spend.

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Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report: 9-17-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg	121	120	1	0
Pediatrics	23	18	0	5
Obstetrics	14	10	0	4
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients scheduled for admission today: TEN (10)

MISSOURI DELTA
Released: 9-16-74
William Taylor, Dexter
Glen E. Gregory, Morley
Virginia Severe, Charleston
Agnes Cooper, Charleston
Karen E. Conner, Parma
Bernard Murback, Sikeston
James F. Rogers, Portageville
Teresa Woodard, Bloomfield
Carolyn Walker, Zalma
David Irwin, Sikeston
William H. Deane, Sikeston
Linda Heather, Sikeston
Frankie Smith, Charleston
Jackie Long, Sikeston

Total patients discharged	14
Total patients admitted	27
Births	2

EMERGENCY DEPT.

Accident patients	6
Medical patients	17
Others	18
Total emergcy paatients	41

DEXTER MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
William Childers, Bernie
Faye Crews, Dexter
Barbara Anderson, Malden
Clarence Cox, Bernie
James E. Maples, Puxico
Released:
Marie Robinson, Malden
Thomas E. Gibson, Sikeston
Robert E. Glenn, Dexter
Sandra K. Finch, Dexter

CHAFFEE GENERAL:
Admitted:
Helen Crocetti, Chaffee
Alfred Hovis, Oran
Ada Mansell, Scott City
Suda Reeves, Oran
Jay D. Spencer, Chaffee
May Webb, Greenville
Released:
David Halter, Illmo
Peggy Little, Patton
Nina Massey, Bell City
Harold Williams, Chaffee

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL:
Admitted:
Janet Sexton, Hayti
Deloris Braswell, Hayti
Janie Mobley, Hayti
Elizabeth Rivers, Hayti
Charles Hargen, Hayti
Kay Hill, Steele
Ethel Crosno, Lilbourn
Debbie Cannon, Bragg City
Barbara Hurley, Caruthersville
Barbara Peterson, Caruthersville
Brent Wilburn, Caruthersville
Jenny Warren, Caruthersville
Lesa Mealer, Caruthersville
James Wilson, Portageville
Yvette Sherman, Kennett
Released:
Mary Wheeler, Hayti
John Luty, Hayti
Melvin Gibson, Hayti
Jerry McIntyre, Hayti
Gene Gunn, Hayti
Johnny Blissett, Hayti
Shelia Seabaugh and baby boy, Portageville
Sherry Schrewsbury and baby boy, Portageville
Shirley Godson, Lilbourn
Helen Bayless, Lilbourn
Claudia Lewis, Braggadocio
Deondra Johnson, Caruthersville
Hetter Horner, Caruthersville
Jerry Versey, Caruthersville
Ricky Whitley, Steele
Arthur Scott, Steele
Brenda Dill, Steele
May Burns, Steele
Laura Strothers, Steele
Vicky Flowers, Wardell
Lucille Mayer, Wardell
Grace Green, Malden

Meetings

TUESDAY

Xi Zeta Alpha Chapter of Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Bonnie Newton, 914 Davis Blvd. Mary Ann Maevers will have the program.

Births

UELSMANN — Mr. and Mrs. Herman Uelsmann of Cape Girardeau are parents of the first child, a son born at 1:12 p.m. Aug. 30 at Southeast Missouri Hospital. The boy weighed six pounds 13 ounces and has been named Scott Andrew.

Mrs. Uelsmann is the former Marcia Cummings, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Glenn F. Cummings of Cape Girardeau. Uelsmann is assistant secretary at First Federal Savings and Loan Association in Cape Girardeau, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Uelsmann of Morley.

TRANKLER — Mr. and Mrs. George Trankler of Oran are parents of their first child, a daughter born at 10:47 a.m. Sept. 1 in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. The girl weighed six pounds 10 ounces and has been named Christina Dawn.

Mrs. Trankler is the former Katherine Janice Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis of Oran. Trankler, a salesman at Bargain Hound, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Trankler of Chaffee.

GREENE — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Greene of Cape Girardeau are parents of their first shild, a daughter born at 6:22 p.m. Sept. 4 in Southeast Missouri Hospital. The girl weighed seven pounds 15½ ounces and has been named Angela Ranae.

Mrs. Greene is the former Janet King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. King of Dexter. Greene, a dock foreman for L. A. Tucker Truck Lines Inc., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greene of Bernie.

GRIFFIN — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin of Chaffee are parents of their second child, second daughter, who was born at 10:25 a.m. Sept. 4 in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau. the girl weighed eight pounds, 11 ounces and has been named Kara Jean.

Mrs. Griffin is the former Vickie Hindman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hindman of Chaffee. Griffin, a laborer for Drury Construction Co. in Cape Girardeau, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Griffin of Chaffee.

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NL East leaders collide

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates may have been down lately, but they certainly don't act like they're out going into the opening of a three-game series tonight with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Last week, they held a 3 1/2game edge over the Cards in the race for the National League East title. But the Pirates closed out the week with five straight losses while St. Louis was chalking up five straight wins.

That was enough to drop Pittsburgh 1 1/2 games behind the Cardinals, but it wasn't enough to make Danny Murtaugh, the unflappable Pirate manager, throw in the towel.

"We have six games left with St. Louis," Murtaugh pointed out after the Pirates dropped the final game of a weekend series in Montreal. "We'll have to win more than our share now."

In addition to the three-game set here, the two clubs will face each other three times next week in St. Louis.

In all, the Pirates have 16 games left to play—the cards have 15—and Pirate slugger Willie Stargell joins his boss in not putting too much emphasis on any one of them.

"We've got to play them one at a time," he said. "There's no sense in putting extra pressure on yourself by saying you've got to win a certain number of games."

Murtaugh indicated he will finish the season with essentially the same personnel who brought the Pirates up from last place in three months, the five recent losses notwithstanding.

"They've got us where we are and they'll have to be the ones that take us further," he said.

One man who won't be going any further, however, is pitcher Dock Ellis, the Pirates' most effective right-handed starter this year with a 12-9 record.

He suffered a broken hand when hit by a line drive last week in Philadelphia. Ellis was holding a 4-1 lead when he was forced out of the game, a game the Pirates eventually lost 8-5 to start the loss skein.

Bullpen ace Dave Giusti also missed the week with a strained back, but has rejoined the team.

Bills win without O.J.

BUFFALO (AP) — "I know it's hard to say it's good to get hurt but ..." O.J. Simpson never finished the sentence. He was busy rubbing his heavily taped right ankle sprained on a 20-yard run.

But his "but" was an awfully big one.

Without Simpson, the National Football League's leading ground gainer and Most Valuable Player last year, the Buffalo Bills were forced to go to the air Monday evening.

Quarterback Joe Ferguson, last in NFL passing a year ago, responded with a pair of touchdowns in the final two minutes that carried the Bills to a 21-20 victory over the Oakland Raiders in his team's season-opener.

Both passes, one for nine yards and the other for 13, went to wide receiver Ahmad Rashad, acquired by the Bills in a trade with St. Louis for quarterback Dennis Shaw.

"So many people think it's all me, even some of the players might have thought that," said Simpson, who rushed for a record 2,003 yards last season.

Simpson was hurt with 56 seconds remaining in the second period. By that time he had gained 78 yards in 12 carries.

The team physician diagnosed the sprain as "slight to moderate," but gave no indication whether Simpson would be ready for the Miami Dolphins here Sunday.

Buffalo shot into a 7-0 lead on Ferguson's four-yard toss to J.D. Hill. Aging George Blanda put Oakland on the scoreboard with a 47-yard field goal at 13:49 in the period.

In the third period, left-handed quarterback Ken Stabler directed the Raiders from their 42 to Buffalo's 16 and Clarence Davis raced around left end for a touchdown.

Sports Briefs

BOXING

KINSHASA, Zaire — The heavyweight title fight scheduled Sept. 25 between heavyweight champion George Foreman and challenger Muhammad Ali was postponed "indefinately" due to a cut over Foreman's right eye in a sparring session.

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. — World light-heavyweight boxing champ Bob Foster, 34, with a professional record of 48-0 against light-heavyweights, retired after 14 successful title defenses and said he will stay in law enforcement work in his home town of Albuquerque.

BASKETBALL

PHOENIX, Ariz. — The Phoenix Suns of the National Basketball Association traded veteran center Neal Walk and a second-round 1975 draft choice to the New Orleans Jazz for forward Curtis Perry, center Dennis Awtrey, guard Nate Hawthorne and a first-round 1976 draft pick.

Giant steals victory

One of these days before too long the Sikeston Bulldogs are going to run up against some team within 10-15 pounds their size and coach Terry Smith's hard hitting Dogs are going to bite some legs. For the second straight week Sikeston had to battle a team 10-20 pounds per man average bigger than the Bulldogs and for the second straight week Sikeston actually out fought the opponent. It has been their own offensive mistakes that have snatched victory from their grasp each time.

Last week in Farmington Sikeston battled back in the game but a delay in game penalty might have cost them a victory. Friday night a fumble on the try for the two point conversion cost them another one point defeat, 14-13 to Kansas City Bishop Lillis.

The plays that actually cost the Bulldogs the game were probably the most spectacular ever performed by a high school team. The little Bulldogs battled the giant Kansas City team up and down the field throughout the first half and the entire game for that matter but two unexpected plays did the Dogs in.

Sikeston scored a go ahead touchdown in the closing minutes of the first half on a 14 yard pass from quarterback Ron Priday, starting his first game for the Bulldogs, to split end Joey Williams who made a diving catch in the endzone and Priday kicked the extra point. After the Sikeston kickoff Bishop Lillis, quarterback Mike Friday ran from one Bulldgo defender after another until he spotted 6-8 giant Mike Trigg down the middle of the field and Trigg reached high to take the ball away from three defenders and ran 54 yards for a TD with 14 seconds left in the first half.

Sikeston was doing a pretty good job of defending the giant Kansas City team in the second half until a "flea flicker" play ended with the quarterback hitting.

Trigg down field all alone for another TD.

Sikeston has a great enterior line as they made holes in the Kansas City line all night for Tom Deroush, Larry Blue and Mike Lambert to run through.

Craig Vogel weighs only 165, Stan McMikle is 175, Wade Barber, 175, John Ralph, 175, Mark Hesselrode, 170, Larry McConnell, 165. When you consider the size of these boys and the size of Kansas City Lillis, 170, 220, 185, 190, 185, 190, 180, 190, 210, you have to realize that the Bulldogs are fine football players. The Bulldogs outrushed Lillis in the game and Sikeston's Defensive line held 220 Larry Wills 27 yards rushing.

If Kansas City hadn't fooled the Bulldogs on one play and if Trigg hadn't been 6-8 Sikeston would have had an easy win despite the tremendous weight advantage enjoyed by Kansas City.

The Bulldogs have a good future to look forward to the rest of the season as coach Terry Smith seems to have found a passing quarterback, something that Sikeston has sorely needed since Smith took over as the head man in 1973.

Ron Priday was inserted into the lineup at quarterback when Tom Luber was injured in the first game against Farmington and was very impressive in the game Friday night against Kansas City Lillis. Ron passed for two touchdowns to split end Joey Williams as Williams made a diving catch in the endzone for the first TD and caught another TD pass as Priday hit the 140 pound end on the letters for another.

With less than a minute left in the game Priday guided the Bulldogs some 60 yards down field with his passing and signal calling.

The Bulldogs take on Perryville Friday night in the opener for both teams in the Northern Division conference and this just might be the Bulldogs' first victory of the season and their first over Perryville in five years.

from the sidelines
with Bill Harrison

Bain's claim title

Mac and Mary Bain teamed to win the Championship Class of the Mixed Pairs golf tournament at the Sikeston Country Club over the weekend with a 146. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spitzmiller of Sikeston took first place in the B Class with a 167.

Results:

CHAMPIONSHIP

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Jayvees blanked

The Sikeston Bulldog Junior Varsity took its second loss of the season here Monday as Jackson shutout the Dogs 14-0.

The Bulldog defense played an outstanding ballgame until the fourth quarter when Jackson put together an 80 yard drive which began at the start of the period and ended with a touchdown with four minutes left to play in the game.

The Sikeston offense had trouble making yardage all night but the defense held on tight until a Gary Griffin pass was intercepted by a Jackson back late in the second quarter on the Bulldog 20 yard line and four plays later Jackson's quarterback sneaked across from the one yard line for the first touchdown.

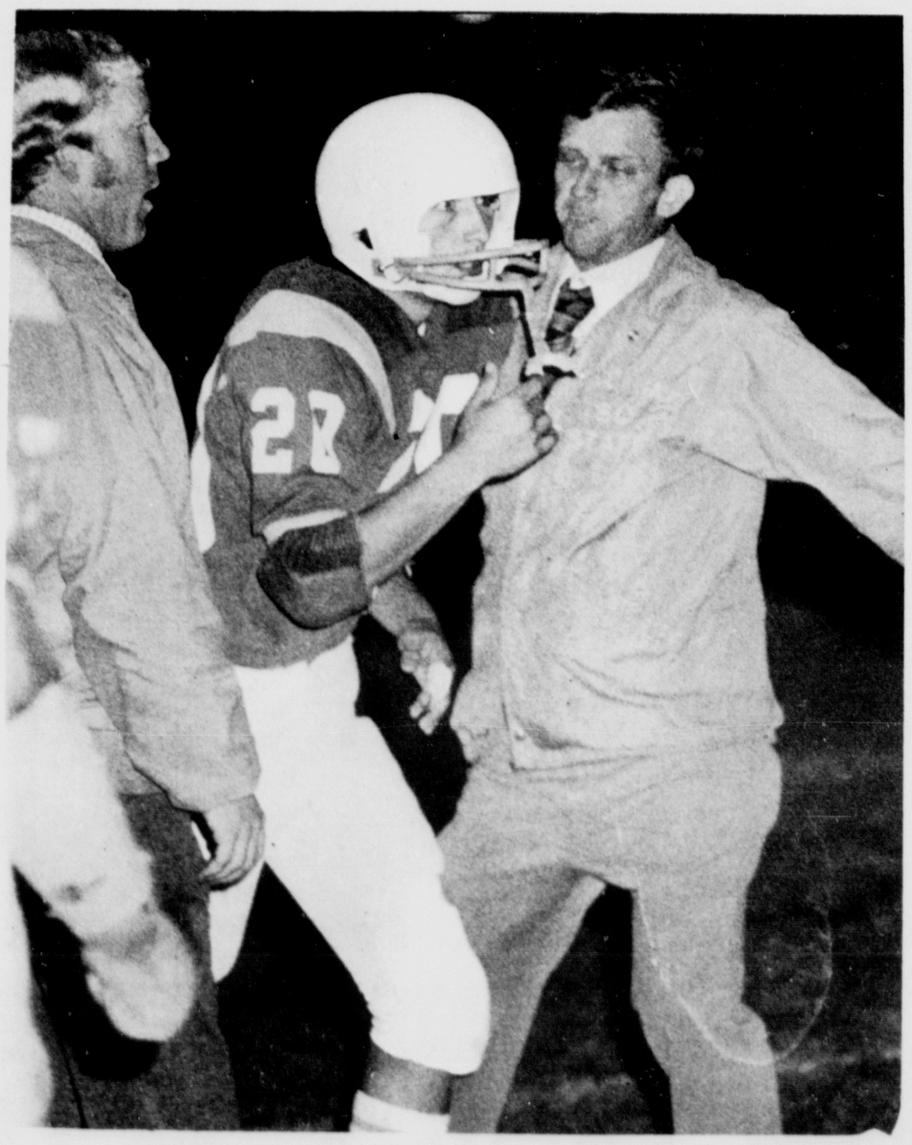
Sikeston's offense began to move down field in the third period after an exchange of balls but the drive bogged down on the Jackson 20 yard line as time ran out in the third period.

Sports Briefs

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The Spirits of St. Louis have announced that center Mike Lewis has been placed on waivers.

The American Basketball Association team said Monday that an Achilles tendon injury which hindered the 6-foot-8 center's play for the past two years had clouded his future.

Lewis had averaged 12.1 points and 12 rebounds a game in action with the ABA's Indiana, Minnesota, Pittsburgh and Carolina teams.



Get in there and stop that boy

The 1973 Daily Standard Football Coach of the Year, Bill Wilthong of the Illmo- Scott City Rams tells sophomore Doug Hester to go in and stop the East Prairie charge at the goal line in action at East Prairie Friday night. The Rams whipped the Eagles 12-7 for their 20th victory in succession.

Standings

Baseball At A Glance
By The Associated Press

American League

East

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	80	67	.544	—
Baltimore	78	70	.527	2 1/2
Boston	76	70	.521	3 1/2
Cleveland	72	74	.493	7 1/2
Milwaukee	71	77	.480	9 1/2
Detroit	67	80	.456	13

West

Oakland	84	64	.568	—
Texas	79	69	.534	5
Minnesota	76	73	.510	8 1/2
Chicago	72	76	.483	12
Kan City	71	77	.480	13
California	60	89	.403	24 1/2

Monday's Results

Minnesota 7, Kansas City

Only game scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Detroit (Coleman 12-12) at Boston (Lee 16-12), N

Baltimore (Palmer 6-12) at New York (Medich 18-13), N

Oakland (Hunter 23-11) at Kansas City (Busby 19-14), N

Cleveland (J. Perry 15-11) at Milwaukee (Colborn 8-12), N

Minnesota (Albury 6-8) at Chicago (Bahnsen 11-14), N

California (Hassler 4-11) at Texas (Jenkins 23-11), N

Wednesday's Games

Detroit at Boston, N

Baltimore at New York, N

Oakland at Kansas City, N

Cleveland at Milwaukee, N

Minnesota at Chicago, N

California at Texas, N

National League

East

	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	79	68	.537	—
Pittsburgh	77	69	.527	1 1/2
Philaphia	73	74	.497	6
Montreal	69	78	.469	10
New York	67	80	.456	12
Chicago	60	86	.411	18 1/2

West

Los Angeles	93	54	.633	—
Cincinnati	91	57	.615	2 1/2
Atlanta	81	68	.544	13
Houston	74	74	.500	19 1/2
San Fran	68	81	.456	26
San Diego	53	96	.356	41

Monday's Results

San Francisco 4, Atlanta 2

Montreal 3-2, New York 2-3

Cincinnati 9, San Diego 2

Los Angeles 7, Houston 2

Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Chicago (Dettore 0-0) at Philadelphia (Twitchell 6-9), N

St. Louis (Gibson 10-12) at Pittsburgh (Reuss 15-9), N

New York (Matlack 12-12) at Montreal (Rogers 13-20), N

Houston (Griffin 13-9) at Los Angeles (Rau 13-8), N

Cincinnati (Billingham 19-9) at San Diego (Greif 8-17), N

Atlanta (Capra 14-8) at San Francisco (Barr 12-8 or Bryant 3-15), N

Wednesday's Games

Atlanta at San Francisco

Chicago at Philadelphia, N

St. Louis at Pittsburgh, N

New York at Montreal, N

Houston at Los Angeles, N

Cincinnati at San Diego, N

Sports Briefs

NEW YORK (AP) Texas Rangers pitcher Ferguson Jenkins was named the American League Player of the Week ending Sept. 14, for winning his fifth consecutive game from the Oakland A's, league President Lee McPhail announced Tuesday.

The 30-year old Canadian right-hander's victory Saturday over the World Champion A's was his seventh win in a row and his 23rd this season for the Rangers.

In 45 innings against Oakland, Jenkins has allowed only 24 hits and three earned runs, boosting his over-all earned run average to 2.90.

BUFFALO (AP) — The Buffalo Braves of the National Basketball Association have announced that forward Jim McMillian will serve as team captain for the upcoming season.

The 6-foot-5 McMillian, one of the premier small forwards in the game, averaged 18.6 points and 7.3 rebounds per game last season. He appeared in all 82 of the Braves games after coming to Buffalo in a trade with Los Angeles.

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Irish No. 1 in AP poll

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Notre Dame Coach Ara Parseghian would be happier over the Irish being the No. 1 ranked college football team if it were January.

Notre Dame, the defending national champions, replaced Oklahoma as top team in the weekly Associated Press rankings. The Fighting Irish, second a week ago, received 19 firstplace votes and 1,004 points from a nationwide panel of sportswriters and broadcasters.

Ohio State, which got 17 first place votes, was in second with 998 points.

"Of course, we're very much honored to be No.1," Parseghian said with a laugh. "But it's where you wind up after the season is over that's important.

"I would be a lot happier being No. 1 if this were January."

The Irish campaigned the entire 1973 season to be No. 1, and finally made it with a 24-23 victory over Alabama in the Sugar Bowl.

"We had sort of a long fight to be No. 1 last season and it helped our determination, I believe," said Parseghian, whose Irish teams have lost only 15 of 104 games in his 10 years as head coach. "I think the reason we weren't ranked No. 1 before this season began is all the things that have happened to us — the injuries, the construction accidents, the dismissals.

"People thought we would not be as strong as last season after that. But we were fortunate enough to have a little better performance to open the season than some of the teams who were ranked ahead of us earlier."

Notre Dame, idle last week, downed Georgia Tech 31-7 in a nationally televised game Sept. 9.

Oklahoma, which dropped to third with 18 first place votes but only 929 points, had tough sledding in their 28-11 debut with lightly regarded Baylor.

Sooner players shared Parseghian's view on the importance of being No. 1 at this point in the season.

"I'm not too worried about this poll," said Sooner quarterback Steve Davis. "I would have to think we played well enough to stay No. 1 and it would be a lot nicer to be No. 1. But the poll will probably change a lot of times before the season is over.

"We just want to play well enough to wind up on top."

Nebraska followed third-place Oklahoma with 728 points and Alabama was fifth with 714. Michigan, Lo isiana State, Penn State, Texas and Arkansas round out the top ten.

Arizona State heads up the second ten, followed in order by UCLA, Southern California, Maryland, Pittsburgh and North Carolina State, tied for 15th, Tennessee, Arizona and Houston and Stanford, tied for 20th.

The Top Twenty, with firstplace votes in parentheses, season record and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 2018-16-14-12-10-9-8 etc.:

1.N. Dame (19)	1-0-0	1,004
2.Ohio St. (17)	1-0-0	998
3.Okla. (18)	1-0-0	929
4.Neb.	1-0-0	728
5.Ala. (4)	1-0-0	714
6.Mich.	1-0-0	590
7.La. St.	1-0-0	527
8.Penn St.	1-0-0	443
9.Texas	1-0-0	419
10.Ark.	1-0-0	378
11.Ariz. St.	1-0-0	270
12.UCLA	0-0-1	148
13.S. Cal.	0-1-0	117
14.Maryland	0-1-0	95
15.Pitt	1-0-0	93
(tie) N.Car.St	2-0-0	93
17.Tenn.	0-0-1	90
18.Ariz.	1-0-0	58
19.Houston	1-1-0	30
(tie) Stanford	0-1-0	30

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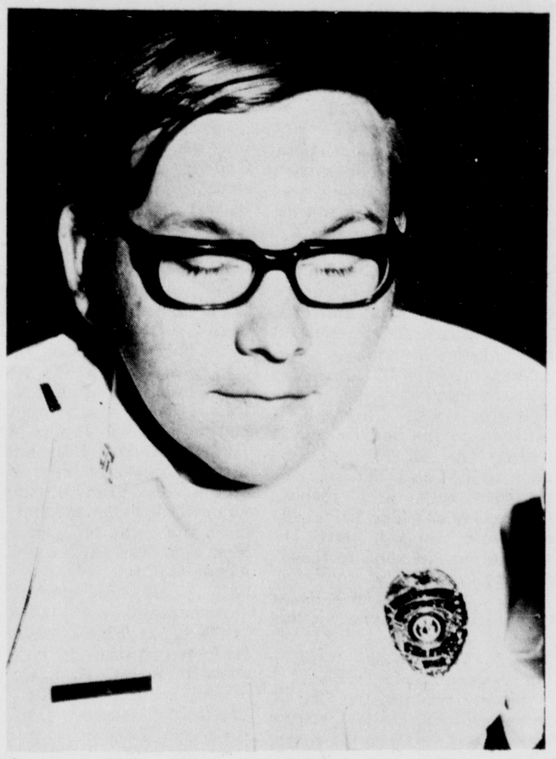
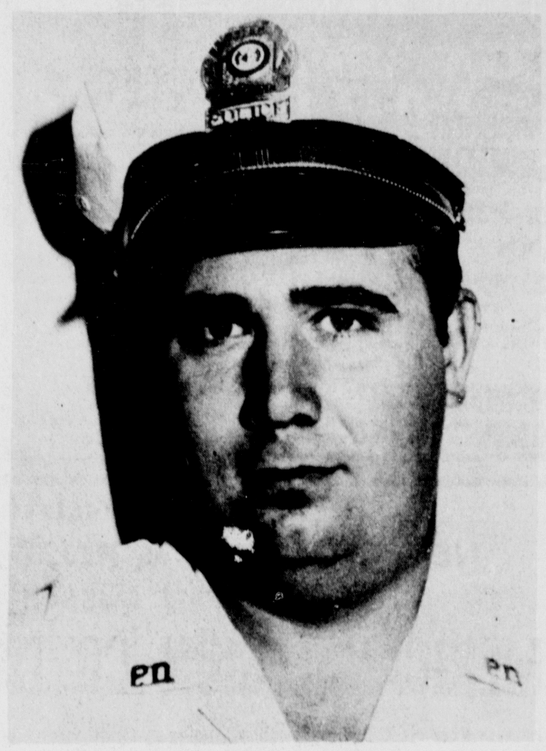


Patrolman Tommy Green was born in Sikeston and attended high school in Charleston and a school in Louisville, Ky.

With the police force for nearly a year, he has attended several training schools in Jefferson City.

He lives in Sikeston with his wife Linda.

Patrolman Willie Joe Harrington Jr. was born April 2, 1948 in Sikeston, Missouri. He graduated from Sikeston Senior High School in 1966. He then attended Lincoln University from 1966-67. Patrolman Harrington has been with the Sikeston Police Department since April of 1972 and since that time has completed 135 hours in Police Training. He is currently enrolled in the Law Enforcement School which is held at Sikeston Senior High School and he needs 2 more weeks to complete this phase of Law Enforcement Training which consisted of 24 weeks. Patrolman Harrington resides at 106 Pin Oak Dr. with his wife, Minnie, and their three sons, Damon, Willie Joe III, and Corey. Patrolman Harrington enjoys football, basketball, and billiards and he is looking forward to his vacation, which he plans to spend in Detroit, Mich., where he once lived.



Patrolman Ray Merrick has collected over 330 hours in police training since he joined the Sikeston Police Force in 1971.

Born in Charter Oak, Mo. He attended school in Charter Oak and Richland.

During the six years he lived and worked in the suburbs of Chicago, Merrick took some mechanical engineering and blue print reading training.

Merrick lives at 811 Agnes Street with his wife Jeanette and their son Ray Jr.

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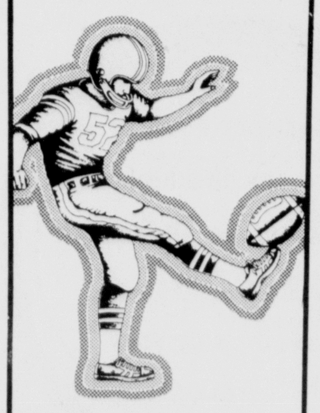

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The injuries occurred on back-to-back plays in the Cardinals' 7-3 win over the Eagles.

Pro Football

Pro Football At A Glance
By The Associated Press
National Football League

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
American Conference						
Eastern Division						
New Eng	1	0	0	1.000	34	24
Buffalo	1	0	0	1.000	21	20
NY Jets	0	1	0	.000	16	24
Miami	0	1	0	.000	24	34
Balt	0	1	0	.000	0	30
Central Division						
Pitts	1	0	0	1.000	30	0
Cinci	1	0	0	1.000	33	7
Houston	1	0	0	1.000	21	14
Cleve	0	1	0	.000	7	33
Western Division						
Kan City	1	0	0	1.000	24	16
Oakland	0	1	0	.000	20	21
San Diego	0	1	0	.000	14	21
Denver	0	1	0	.000	10	17
National Conference						
Eastern Division						
Dallas	1	0	0	1.000	24	0
S.Louis	1	0	0	1.000	7	3
Wash.	1	0	0	1.000	13	10
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Minn. v	1	0	0	1.000	32	17
Chicago	1	0	0	1.000	17	9
Detroit	0	1	0	.000	9	17
Grn Bay	0	1	0	.000	17	32
Western Division						
L.A.	1	0	0	1.000	17	10
S.F.	1	0	0	1.000	17	13
New Orl.	0	1	0	.000	13	17
Atlanta	0	1	0	.000	0	24

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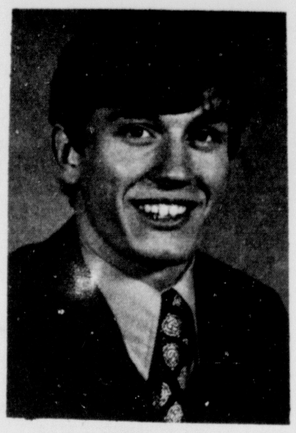
Brewer named to Mayo staff

ROCHESTER, Minn. — Dr. Nelson S. Brewer, 34, a former resident of Charleston, Mo. has been appointed to the staff of Mayo Clinic as a consultant in infectious diseases and internal medicine. He is also an instructor in Mayo Medical School.

Mayo Clinic is a private group practice of medicine with a staff off some 550 physicians and medical scientists, about 650 residents in advanced medical training and more than 3,000 paramedical personnel.

Dr. Brewer received a doctor of medicine degree from Tulane Medical School in New Orleans. He was a resident in internal medicine and infectious diseases in Mayo Graduate School of Medicine from 1970 until his appointment to the staff.

Dr. Brewer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Grinstead Brewer of Charleston. His wife is the former Karol Anne Kuersteiner of Tallahassee, Fla. They have three children



Ronnie Blankinship

Sikeston senior to be featured in Who's Who

Ronnie Blankinship, son of Leon and Genetta Riley, 2006 Kentucky Ave., has been selected to appear in the eighth annual edition of "Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1973-74", one of the largest student award publications in the nation.

Blankinship is a senior at Sikeston High School and is active in choir and wrestling. He has been in the top 10 per cent of his class for two years.

Students from over 20,000 public, private and parochial high schools throughout the country are recognized for their leadership in academics, athletics, activities or community serivce. Less than three per cent of junior and senior class students nationwide are awarded recognition.

In addition to having his biography published in the book, Blankinship also is eligible to compete for one of 10 scholarship awards of $500 to $1,000 funded by the publishers and will be invited to participate in the firm's annual "Survey of High Achievers."

Looking back

Soldier well after release

50 years ago
September 17, 1924

Mrs. E. French and daughter of Charleston spent several days of last week with relatives. Mrs. French was formerly Earlie Edmonson of this city.

Mrs. R. A. Moll and children of Tamms, Ill., motored to Sikeston Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sheppard. They returned to their home Monday.

A specialist of St. Louis was down Sunday to see Dr. P. M. Malcolm, who has been confined to his bed for many weeks. The doctor will be taken to St. Louis Thursday of this week to enter a hospital for treatment. The specialist feels sure he will have Dr. Malcolm on the road to health again before long.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reese were Cape Girardeau visitors Sunday.

40 years ago
September 17, 1934

Morehouse -- Mrs. R. E. Lowe of St. Louis visited friends and relatives here last week.

Morley--Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Watson are the proud parents of a son who arrived September 4, on the birthday of the oldest brother, Billy. This is the sixth child and third son.

Fairview -- Alfred Oldham and family of Sikeston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hensley.

The Sikeston High school football season will officially open Friday when Hugh May's eleven comes here from Matthews for a game at the stadium.

30 years ago
September 17, 1944

S/Sgt. Harold T. Godwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Godwin of Bertrand, sent a cable to his parents stating that he was well and safe after being released from a prisoner of war camp in Roumania.

A lawn party and wiener roast was given in honor of Linda Lou Humphrey's sixth birthday at her home on Greer street Friday.

Linda Geanne was born to Chaplain and Mrs. E. W. Bartley, jr., Monday, September 11 in Joplin, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beal are parents of a son born August 30 at St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, and has been given the name of Larry Allen. Mrs. Beal was the former Miss Aileen McCoy.

20 years ago
September 17, 1954

Ten candidates have thus far entered the 10th annual contest for Cotton Carnival queen, according to Dr. L. E. Bechtold, secretary of the American Legion, sponsor of the three- day event, which begins a week from today. Three of the candidates include: Miss Mary Jane Robbs, of Matthews; Miss Donna Schneider of East Prairie; and Miss Phyllis Jean Prindle of Vanduser.

North Lilbourn -- Services for N. H. Hamilton, 88, one of the oldest citizens here, were conducted recently.

Social sororities and fraternities at the University of Missouri pledged men and women over the weekend in Columbia. Sikestonians who pledged were: Miss Sue Watkins, Delta Delta Delta; and Roger J. "Buddy" Modersbach, Sigma Nu.

Mr. and Mrs P. B. Bartmess and daughter, Mrs. Jane Gillespie and sons, Bill and Bob, spent Monday in Columbia, Tenn., where Mrs. Gillespie's sons enrolled at Columbia Military Academy.

Miss Frances Mattingly has been employed to teach first grade at Washington School in Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey of Charleston are parents of a baby boy born at the Delta Community Hospital on the 14th.

Babies born on the 15th were: A baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Ortega of Morehouse; Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Gardner, Sikeston, a son; and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Tidwell of Sikeston.

Lindon Duncan, who signed with the St. Louis Cardinals in August and played with their Class D Hannibal Club in the Mississippi- Ohio Valley League, has been notified that he will report to the Cardinal's Albany, Ga., minor league spring site in 1955.

The planet Jupiter's most dominant feature, the "Great Red Spot", is a huge, baleful eye in the cloud tops, large enough to hold three earths.

What's the law?

The case of the flighty student

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

As the prim Miss Pride was leading her high- school class outdoors for a gym period, she paused momentarily to lock the door to her classroom.

During that interval, one of her pupils attempted to kick a field goal. Instead of booting the football, however, he booted poor Herbie who was holding it for the place kick.

Landing ungracefully, Herbie sued the school district for his injuries.

"The children should have been more closely supervised,' insisted Herbie's mother in court. "After all, when it comes to kids, they're about as predictable as the weather."

"But I only paused a moment to lock the door," responded the perplexed Miss Pride. "When I turned around, it was all over. Poor Herbie was already in the air. Certainly, it was nothing I could have anticipated in so short a period of time."

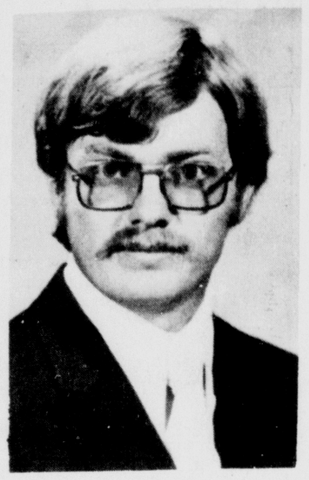
IF YOU WERE THE JUDTE, would you hold the school district liable for Herbie's short flight?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that while the lack of supervision of pupils, or their improper supervision, may constitute negligence, a teacher is not required to expect the unexpected.

In this case, concluded the judge, the accident happened so unexpectedly that it could have occurred in the teacher's presence as well as her absence. Consequently, the school district could not to be held responsible.

(Based upon a 1961 Calif. Dist. Court of Appeals Decision)

Poole is accepted by medical school



Anthony Poole

Anthony Poole, son of Mrs. Hildred Patterson of Cathlamet, Wash., and Harold Poole of Pharris Ridge, Sikeston, has been accepted into the School of Medicine, Universidad Autonoma at Guadalajara, Mexico. He will begin a four- year program in January 1975.

Poole is a 1968 graduate of Sikeston High School and earned a bachelor of arts degree in pre-medical sciences from University of Missouri-Columbia. He was a member of the pre- medical club and was employed by the University of Missouri Medical Center.

He is presently employed by Ferguson Medical Group in Sikeston.

He married the former Jo Ann Williamson of Sikeston, and they have a daughter, Lauren.

Lehr to meet with Scott Co residents

BENTON — George W. Lehr, Democratic candidate for state auditor, will visit Scott County on Sept. 26th. Lehr has invited all public officials, candidates of both parties and the general public to meet with him in a "County Forum" at the courthouse in Benton at 2:30 p.m.

Lehr, 37, is attempting to personally visit each of the 101 counties for which the state auditor is directly responsible for auditing. It is Lehr's goal to exchange ideas and become acquainted with the county officials and voters he must work with if elected.

Lehr, who was born and reared in Kirksville, is currently county executive of Jackson County. He has served as county auditor, collector of revenue and presiding judge.

As a Certified Public Accountant, Lehr is the first of his profession to run for Missouri State Auditor. Wherever he travels throughout the State, Lehr says, "It makes as much sense for a CPA to be state auditor as it does for an attorney to be attorney general."

Aid payments total $101,792

EAST PRAIRIE — Expenditures by the Division of Social Services in Mississippi County during August totaled $101,792, according to figures released by Mrs. Agnes Cunningham, county director.

The highest amount of assistance went to aid to dependent children cases, numbering 722 and including 1,852 children, in the amount of $91,074.

There were 161 general relief cases, which received a total of $10,718.

Mississippi County has 630 supplemental security income and Missouri supplemental cases; 495 supplemental security income only cases, for which medical benefits and social services are provided; and 152 Missouri supplemental cases.

There are approximately 1,151 food stamp cases in the county, which includes a total of 3,998 persons.

The county has 109 recipients in professional nursing homes.

Protective social services were provided for 108 children, and 78 children received preventive services. County funds, totaling $1,129.70, was spent for 19 children in foster care, and $1,500 was spent for aid to dependent foster care payments for 15 children.

Protective and preventive services were provided for 41 adults.

Currently, 39 participants are enrolled in the work incentive program, and 42 children received day care services.

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There will be four (4) Prize Award Classes - $150.00, $125.00, $75.00 and $50.00. Decision of judges will be final.

All entries must be in the hands of the Parade Chairman Buddy Sikes or Parade Marshal Hank Switala, on or before September 24, 1974.

All floats and entries shall be physically identified as to name of participating group to be eligible for any prize. Floats or entries do not necessarily have to portray the Cotton Carnival theme. However, every possible reference to the Cotton and its uses will naturally publicize one of SEMO's top products and industries.

All floats should be motor driven or motor drawn. Floats will be judged on originality, design, and attractiveness. Nothing shall be thrown or distributed from any vehicle within the parade.

All entries shall assembly North of Tanner Street on North Ranney Street not later than 9:45 AM, on the morning of September 28th. Positions in the parade will be designated by the Parade Marshal and announced thru courtesy of The Daily Sikeston Standard, prior to September 27th.

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PARADE – September 28, 1974

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(School, Club, or Organization) (City)

will enter a float or ..... in the ..... Division of the Cotton Carnival Parade on September 28, 1973. Our entry will be at the designated area by 9:45 AM. It is understood that we will cooperate with the parade officials and be governed by the rules and regulations set up by the Parade Marshal and Cotton Carnival Committee.

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Today in U. S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 17, the 260th day of 1974. There are 105 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1787, the Constitution of the United States was completed and signed by a majority of delegates attending the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia.

On this date —

In 1665, a bubonic plague broke out in London.

In 1862, in the Civil War, Union forces hurled back a Confederate invasion of Maryland in the Battle of Antietam.

In 1939, the debut of the radio program, "Major Bowes' Amateur Hour," started a trend toward talent contests in American radio programming.

In 1939, the Soviet Union invaded Poland in World War II.

In 1967, U.S. Air Force jets attacked a highway bridge in North Vietnam only seven miles from the China border.

In 1970, open warfare broke out in Jordan between King Hussein's army and Palestinian guerrillas.

Ten years ago: The United States disclosed development of two weapons systems capable of intercepting and destroying armed satellites circling the earth in space.

Five years ago: Preparations were being made to withdraw 35,000 more American troops from South Vietnam before the end of the year.

One year ago: Sextuplets were born to a 34-year-old Lakewood, Colo., woman who had been taking fertility drugs.

Today's birthdays: Ballet choreographer and director Frederick Ashton is 68. Genral Motors President Edward Cole is 65.

Thought for today: Public sentiment is everything. With public sentiment, nothing can fail; without it, nothing can succeed — President Abraham Lincoln, 1809-1865.

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"Remember the good, old days before recycling, when we used to empty the suggestion box out the window?"

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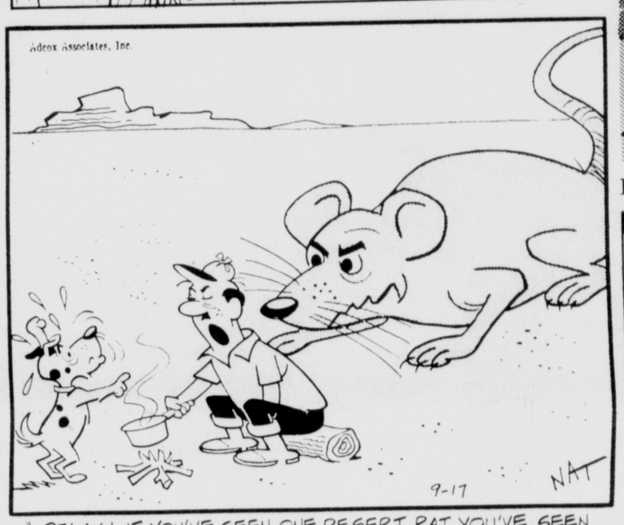

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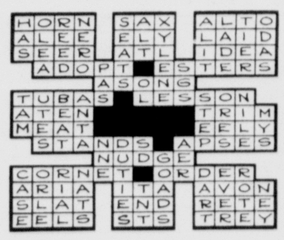
Variety

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Thailand
5 Adjoin
9 Light brown
12 Gaelic
13 Masculine nickname
14 Frozen water
15 Craft (pl.)
17 Cry
18 Escargot
19 Sways
21 Promontory
23 Was seated
24 Couch
27 Stratum
29 Indonesian island
32 Mountain crests
34 Meteorological line
36 Heckle
37 Chinese laborer
38 Former Russian ruler
39 At all times
41 Bitter vetch
42 Isaiah (ab.)
44 Shoshonean Indians
46 Hermetic
49 Pilfer
53 Sea eagle (var.)
54 Drowsiness
56 Chemical suffix
57 Erect
58 Italian coins
59 Bushy clump
60 Girl's nickname (pl.)
61 Dutch city and others

DOWN

1 Soap-frame bar
2 Persia
3 Continent
4 Lyric
5 Time past
6 Cudgeler
7 Preposition
8 Trials
9 Schedule
10 Genus of maples
11 Tidings
16 Censures
20 Forbidden
22 Antiquated
24 Thai coin
25 Epochs
26 Decided legally
28 Legal
30 Den
31 Angers
33 Ankles
35 Most painful
40 Roman god of metalworking
43 Oak nut
45 Not fresh
46 Flesh food
47 Italian stream
48 On the briny
50 Geraint's wife
51 Land measure
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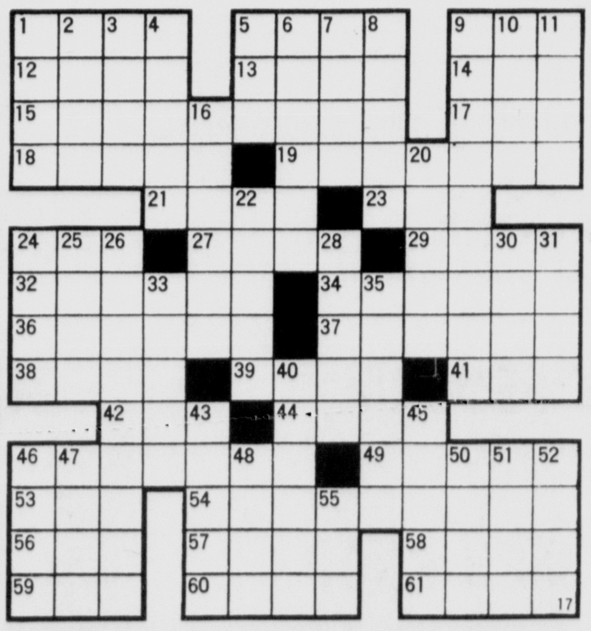

ALLEY OOP by Grave

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Wednesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Necessity	31 Love	61 Or
2 Now	32 Paying	62 Work
3 There's	33 Supporter	63 Bring
4 A	34 If	64 Have
5 Pressure	35 To	65 Tested
6 There	36 Offbeat	66 Hurt
7 For	37 Some	67 Now
8 You'd	38 Helpful	68 Negligence
9 Your	39 Closely	69 Way
10 Excellent	40 At	70 Elbow
11 Others	41 Loss	71 Someone's
12 Faith	42 News	72 Toward
13 Aspects	43 To	73 In
14 May	44 Thinking	74 Feelings
15 Security	45 Of	75 Solutions
16 People	46 Be	76 To
17 May	47 Wings	77 Problem
18 Stick	48 Friend's	78 You
19 Staunch	49 You	79 Fun
20 Concerning	50 Have	80 Completing
21 Offer	51 Cooperation	81 Pleasure-
22 Apologize	52 Its	82 And
23 And	53 Bills	83 Later
24 Be	54 Can	84 Some
25 Into	55 Enjoy	85 Tasks
26 Good	56 Through	86 Conflict
27 May	57 Hopes	87 Bright
28 Like	58 Your	88 Lights
29 A	59 Your	89 Wishes
30 You	60 The	90 Way

Good · Adverse · 9/18 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 9-12-27-46 65-73-84-90

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 36-44-54-63 75-76-77

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 5-11-25-32 53-61-80-85

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 2- 8-28-35 55-60-87-88

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 3- 4-19-33 40-59-70

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 10-13-20-29 48-57-82-89

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 16-17-21-30 38-51-67

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 1- 7-15-23 31-45-81-86

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 6-14-24-37 41-56-68

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 26-42-47-52 69-72-78

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 22-34-49-50 66-71-74

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 18-39-43-58 62-64-79-83

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IN SIKESTON AND SURROUNDING SCHOOLS
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COME AND MEET WITH LOCAL CUB AND SCOUT LEADERS
HELP YOUR BOYS TO ENROLL IN SCOUTING AT THEIR SCHOOL.

Parents:

Every boy looks forward to fun and adventure. He wants to do important things with his friends and earn recognition. The Cub Scouting and Boy Scouting Program answers these needs: and through its code of ideals helps the boy develop a sound sense of values. It trains him in citizenship, Scouting helps the boy during his Scouting growing up years, Plan to come with your son to HIS SCHOOL Thursday, September 19 - 7:00 P.M. to learn how you can help him have these fine experiences.

★ Cub Scouting

is a program for boys 8-10 years, and is a home and neighborhood centered program. Boys are organized into dens under the leadership of parent Den Mothers, and meet weekly in home. Dens join together monthly for a pack meeting.

★ SCHOOL NIGHT TO JOIN CUB SCOUTING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19- 7:00 P.M.

SIKESTON – Cubs report to their grade school
CHARLESTON – Cubs report to Hearnes Elementary School
EAST PRAIRIE – Cubs report to Martin Elementary School (7:30 p.m.)
NEW MADRID – Cubs report to the New Madrid Community Building
MATTHEWS – Cubs report to Matthews Community Building
MOREHOUSE – Cubs report to Morehouse Elementary School Cafeteria
BERTRAND – Cubs report to Bertrand Elementary School Cafeteria
ORAN – Cubs to Oran Elementary School (Wed. Sept. 18 - 7:00 p.m.)
VANDUSER – Cubs to Old Vanduser Grade School
CANALOU – Cubs to Canalou Baptist Church
MORLEY – Cubs to Morley Community Building
BENTON – Cubs to St. Dennis School (Monday Sept. 23- 7:30 p.m.)

★ Boy Scouting

is a program for boys 11-14 years, and is an institution and community centered program. Boys are organized into patrols and meet weekly as a troop, under the leadership of an Adult volunteer Scoutmaster, Boy Scouting is essentially an outdoor program.

TROOP RALLY TO JOIN JOIN BOY SCOUTING

SIKESTON – All Scouts to Middle School 7:00 p.m. Thursday Sept. 19th (T-41, T-43, T-44, T-59)
CHARLESTON – All Scouts to Rolwing Park Saturday Sept. 21 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (T-32, T-33)
EAST PRAIRIE – Troop 37 Friday & Saturday Sept. 20-21 5:00 p.m. Friday and all day Saturday. Mike Euer's. Troop 38 Friday & Saturday Sept. 20-21. 4:30 p.m. Friday City Park and all day Saturday
BERTRAND – Troop 42 Contact Richard Blackburn, Scoutmaster
MOREHOUSE – T-49 Scout Hut Saturday Sept. 21
ORAN – T-144 Oran City Park Sept. 27-28 4:00 p.m.
NEWMADRID – T-48 Contact Bud Townsend, Scoutmaster.
BENTON – T-25 Contact John Bollinger or Chuck Juedeman

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION
(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Pearl Hawkins)
deceased.)

Estate No. 4256

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Pearl Hawkins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 14th day of October, 1974 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Jim S. Green, Hux & Green
Attorney
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Correspondents are needed for the following communities: Dexter, Bernie, Advance, Puxico, Painton, Dudley, Gray Ridge, Essex in Stoddard County. Kewanee, Catron, Lilbourn, Howardville, Marston, Portageville, Gideon, Morehouse and Conran in New Madrid county. Wardell, Homestown, Pascola, Bragg City, Deering, Braggadocio, Gobler, Steele, Holland, Cooter, Hayti and Concord in Pemiscot County. Malden, Clarkton, Campbell, Holcomb, Kennett, Senath, Cardwell, Arbyrd, Hornersville and Glennonville in Dunklin County. Wyatt, Anniston, Charleston and Bertrand in Mississippi County. Miner, Diehlstadt, Benton, Oran, New Hamburg, Scott City, Illmo, Chaffee, Kelso, Perkins, Vanduser and Crowder in Scott County.

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11A. Mobile Homes For Rent

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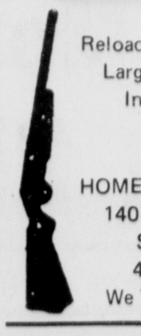

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Part Time Help Wanted
Must be 21 Years of Age
Apply in person
PIZZA INN

Preparation cook. Apply in person Ramada Inn, Sikeston, Mo. Ask for Dennis Minner or Bob Grey.

9-17-74.

Wanted warehouse man, sales clerk, collector. Apply at Lewis Furniture Co., 650 W. Malone.

9-16-74

Farm manager for 2,000 acres. Cotton, beans, and cattle farm. Send qualifications to: P. O. Box 317, Gideon, Mo. 63848

Wanted experienced cotton picker driver. Top wages, plus bonus. For more information call 471-8906 after 5.

9-23-74

Wanted mechanical engineer with one to 3 years experience in general mechanical areas. Will do project work on process machines, design power house equipment, environmental and safety concerned. Must have potential for managing engineering department. Will train. Write P. O. Box 266. Kennett, Mo. 63857.

9-25-74

Restaurant chain needs manager trainee for fast growing company in Sikeston. High school graduate. Must be reliable. 21 years of age. Previous experience not necessary in food line. Write % Daily Standard Box GL 300.

9-18-74

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from 6 P.M. to 12 A.M. Tuesday's and Friday's Applicant must be free of outside activities that may interfere with work schedule. Must be 18 years of age or older, honest, no criminal record and reliable.
Phone 471-5284 for an appointment.

19 — CHILD CARE

Will babysit in my home. Call 471-6179

Will do babysitting in my home. Call 471- 8083, Dorothy Hammock.

9- 17- 74

21. Business Opportun.

Persons interested in a business of their own or second income, no investments, write for personal interview: J & D Development, 2809 Country Court, Bloomington, Ill. 61701.

9-26-74

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471-6194 545-3877

Roofing and remodeling. Contracted or hourly. 667-5154

Remodeling, paneling and ceilings. Concrete patios and driveways. 471-9982 or 262-3833

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10-15-74

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9-21-74

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9-24-74

26. Pets

A.K.C. registered white toy poodle. Call 357- 4526 or 357- 4458.

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9-17-74

Registered toy Pekingese; Peke-a-poo and poodle puppies. Ralph Henson, Illmo, Mo. 264-4678

28. New & Used Cars

19' self contained travel trailer. 67 Cadillac, full power, tilt & telescope steering. Call 471-9352

1972 Ford ½ ton pickup, four wheel drive, V-8, 36,500 miles. A-1 condition. 1961 International pickup V-8, straight, good condition. 19' Lone Star Cruiser, 100 horse, Johnson motor and trailer. Galemore Mobile Homes, Charleston, Mo.

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9- 17- 74

For sale 1965 Dodge Coronet and 1965 Thunderbird. Both with air and in good condition. Call 471-8430.

9-17-74

1965 model International Diesel 238 Detroit engine. With a lift up tandem. $3800. Mack 1957 model gas burner $750. Could be used as tractor or Bob Truck. Old Case Building in Kewanee with four lots. Call 748-2894, New Madrid

68 Oldsmobile Delta 88, one owner. Automatic transmission, air conditioned. Call after 4, 471-4540.

9-18-74

1971 Ford Thunderbird excellent condition. Full power. 471-8715 after 5. Must see to appreciate.

30. Farm Supplies

For sale 1965 95B John Deere combine, in average condition, priced with cab and chopper. 14' header. $3250. Call J. D. Wagner, Swifton, Ark. 485-2520.

9-21-74

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9- 20- 74

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9-16-74

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9-20-74

34. Mobile Homes

For sale 1973 12 x 65 mobile home. Central air, two baths. Call 293-4293

For Sale 1968 mobile home unfurnished. 471-9526.

9-20-74

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9-23-74

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Deaths

LEE ROY SKIDMORE

CLARKTON — Lee Roy Skidmore, 69, a retired farmer, died at 1:45 a.m. Monday in Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.

He was born Nov. 18, 1904 at Morley to the late Billy Lee and Ann Mary Carter Skidmore.

In 1937, he married Dorothy Smith, who survives.

Other survivors include one son, L. D. Skidmore of Clarkton; two stepdaughters, Wanda Simpson and Bernice Patterson of Clarkton; one sister, Zeta Sale of Clarkton; and one grandchild and two great- grandchildren. Services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Landess Funeral Home at Malden with the Rev. E. D. Francis officiating.

Burial will be in Stanfield Cemetery.

ROBERT VANCE CLARK

MALDEN — Robert Vance Clark, 60, owner of Sears Merchandising store, died Monday at his home of a heart attack.

He was born July 24, 1914 in Mullin, Tex., to the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clark.

In 1964, he married Betty Penix, who survives.

He was a member of First Southern Baptist Church.

Other survivors include two daughters, Linda Knupp of Anna, Ill., and Paula Carr of Saginaw, Mich.; one son, Henry Lippert of Arkadelphia, Ark.; four sisters, Mildred Pearce of Abilene, Tex., Selma Riddle of San Antonio, Tex., Velma Hankins of Rock Springs, Tex., and Cleo Chandler of Houston, Tex.; and three grandchildren.

The body is at Landess Funeral Home, where arrangements are incomplete.

MARVIN C. BENNETT

BLOOMFIELD — Marvin C. Bennett, 66, a former restaurant and motel owner in Dexter and Bloomfield died at 9:30 p.m. Monday in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau of an apparent heart attack.

Born Aug. 2, 1908 at Shook, he was a member of the Bloomfield Lions Club and Trinity United Methodist Church.

On Oct. 15, 1931, he married Dorothy Robb, who survives.

He formerly operated Cub's Cafe and Motel in Dexter and Tucker's Restaurant and Motel in Bloomfield. He also was formerly employed by Chase Hotel in St. Louis.

Other survivors include two sons, Marvin (Bud) Bennett of Sparta, Ill., and William Bennett of St. Louis; one daughter, Norma Friend of St. Louis; three brothers, Clifford and Joseph Bennett of St. Louis and Eugene Bennett of Bloomfield; six sisters, Pearl Farris of Poplar Bluff, Beulah Binkins, Alice Nix and Berta Lee Box of Wappapello, Ola Dunham of St. Louis and Hazel Conzelman of Florida; and seven grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home with the Revs. Sterling Aubuchon of Malden and Andrew Fowler officiating.

Burial will be in Bloomfield Cemetery.

ISABELL ANDREWS

ADVANCE — Isabell Andrews, 82, of Route Two, a former Sikeston resident, died at 5:20 p.m. Monday in the Host House at Charleston following an extended illness.

She was born Jan. 14, 1892 in Tennessee.

Survivors include one son, R. C. Andrews of Advance; three daughters, Mrs. Macie Dunn of Advance, Mrs. Emma Allen of Whitfield, Miss., and Mrs. Gertrude Hamilton of Magnolia, Miss.; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Viola Rogers of Pascagoula, Miss.; and 17 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and four great-great- grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel in Sikeston after 10 a.m. Wednesday.

The body then will be moved to Smith Street Church of God, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. R. C. Martin, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

FRANCES M. SLATEN

Pallbearers at services today for Mrs. Frances Marie Slaten, 56, of Cape Girardeau, who died Sunday, were Mike Moseley, Paul Johnson, Bobby Joe Gentry, Don Bean, Mike Collier and Rodney Collier.

Advisory Committee holds first meeting

Members of The Citizens Advisory Committee, established for the purpose of determining the feasibility of a one- cent sales tax for Sikeston, held their first meeting Monday night with the city council and discussed alternate ways to secure the estimated $450,000 that a sales tax would bring in.

City Manager Charles Church said Sikeston could exist on its present budget, but additional revenue must be obtained if the city is to grow and provide better services.

The committee was told that a one- cent sales tax could increase the city revenue by as much as $450,000 the first year. A similar amount could be raised by placing an additional charge of 62 cents per month on the 6,000 water meters in Sikeston.

However, on a financing method like this, the people who use Sikeston streets and business facilities and live outside the city limits would not be paying for the services they use.

Councilman Don Fulton noted that people who earn $100 a week will spend about $35 for groceries. They would have to pay only 35 cents extra if a one- cent sales tax were in force.

Phil Barkett, a member of the advisory committee, said he checked with Louis Snyder, a grocer in Poplar Bluff, who said his business had not been hurt by the sales tax.

The advisory committeewill meet with the police, fire department, light and water director, little league commissioner and other interested groups to gather information on the proposed sales tax. A list of priorities for use of the tax in developing new services for the city will be drawn up. The committee will then review methods of financing and present their recommendations to the city council.

Waste disposal, street improvements discussed

NEW MADRID — Solid waste disposal and street improvements were the prime topics discussed at Monday night's City Council meeting.

The council adopted, by unanimous vote, an ordinance for providing uniform solid waste disposal for the city.

The ordinance provides that solid wastes will be picked up from each resident at least once a week at a cost of $2.25 per month to be added to the light and water bills. Business establishments will negotiate their monthly charge on the basis of the amount of waste generated.

Other provisions of the ordinance require all wastes to be placed in 20 to 35- gallon plastic bags or plastic or metal containers weighing not more than 75 pounds when filled. Tree trimmings must be tied in bundles not more than 18 inches in diameter and 48 inches in length.

Jackson Clay Hunter voiced objections to the proposed paving and guttering on Vandenventer Street, on which he owns property. He told the council that it was the understanding of property owners that if the majority of the owners on any street objected, then the work would not be done. He said 62 per cent of the property owners on this street had objected. He was told that his only recourse to stop the paving was to seek legal counsel.

The board agreed to proceed with requests for bids on street improvements and to contact a bonding company concerning the issuance of bonds for proposed sewer and drainage improvements, which must be voted on by the citizens prior to construction.

In other business handled, the council accepted a bid of $11,597 from Powell's Supply of Malden for scrap copper from construction at the power plant in St. Jude Industrial Park. The next highest bidder was Paul's Inc. of Sikeston with a bid of $10,726.

Placement of gravel on the levee road was discussed; See-Mor Cable TV will be ordered to pay its full annual franchise fee instead of one-twelfth as offered; and a tax bill on a building on leased property previously owned by Gulf Oil Co. which has been destroyed was ordered taken from the records.

Tar pot ignites

DEXTER — The fire department answered a call at 4:37 p.m. Monday to an alley behind the Dexter pool hall where a tar pot had caught fire. The blaze was extinguished quickly and no damage was reported.

17 cases of beer stolen

Seventeen cases of beer were missing after an apparent burglary early today at Bess Supply Co., Highway 61 South.

While on routine patrol in the area at 6:39 a.m. Sikeston police officer Ed Speakman noticed a window on the east side of the building had been broken.

Albert Keith Bess, owner of the business, reported the loss after making an inventory.

Dudley man fails to appear; bond forfeited

BLOOMFIELD — Lloyd Brown of Dudley, charged with terrorizing customers of a Dudley tavern with a snake, failed to appear in Magistrate Court Monday and his bond was forfeited.

Judge Lloyd Briggs of Sikeston, was appointed to hear the case. Brown reportedly walked into the tavern in April of 1973 and threw a snake around the neck of a male customer. He is also charged with felonious assault resulting from a fight which followed the incident. Brown is believed to be held by out- of-state authorities on other charges.

In other cases heard by special judge Briggs, Lavaughn Baker, 32, of Dexter was bound over to Circuit Court for trial on two counts of felonious assault against three liquor control agents. Baker is charged along with Eugene Fredrick, 28, of Dexter and Larry Gadberry, 27, of Overland with the Aug. 3 assault against three agents when one of the agents attempted to arrest Fredrick for selling beer without a license. The fight occurred behind a Dexter tavern owned by Lloyd Aarant. A third count against Baker was dismissed.

Charges of burglary and stealing were dismissed against Kenneth Paul Brown and Elmer Eugene Blankenship due to insufficient evidence.

Freeman Townsend was fined $25 on a common assault charge.

Thieves get tractor

CARUTHERSVILLE — Pemiscot County authorities are continuing to investigate the theft of a back hoe tractor, valued in the thousands of dollars, which was stolen in Caruthersville Friday night.

The back hoe was on a flatbed trailer attached to a dump truck, which was parked on the Magic Mart parking lot Friday night, while the three operators of the equipment were spending the night in a motel across the street.

When the men awoke at 6 a.m. the following day, the truck, trailer and back hoe were gone, authorities said, although the truck cab had been locked.

Wardell police reported Saturday night that the truck and trailer has been found abandoned on a road near Wardell, but said the back hoe was missing. The equipment was owned by Bill Lonon of Memphis, Tenn.

Council to turn complaints over to contractors

CHAFFEE — The City Council voted Monday night to turn complaints it has received about the water and sewer contractor over to Trotter & Associates of Dexter, the engineering firm in charge of the project, for consideration.

The council wants the complaints cleared up before it pays the final 10 per cent of money owed for the water and sewer project.

The Chaffee Housing Authority requested the bridge over Heeb Creek on South Main Street is opened so the children in the housing project can ride the school bus. The council tabled the issue until an inspection of the bridge is made.

An easement for water and sewer lines was accepted by the council from Paul Pfefferkorn in the Pfefferkorn Addition.

The council accepted a $3,995 bid from Montgomery Motors in Chaffee for a new police car.

Fire Chief Bill Hagan requested that an ordinance be passed concerning guidelines to be used for inspection of child care centers. The council agreed to look into the possibility.

The council decided to send Bert Wilson and Charles Moit, employes of the Chaffee Water Department, to a school in Malden for five weeks to enable them to learn how to improve the water supply. The cost will be $100 per man.

A photo copy machine was purchased for the city hall at a cost of $1,195.

Building permits approved included: Ernest White, 103 Clarman, new carport, $2,100; D. R. Boulware, 115 Black St., new front porch, $280; Chaffee Lumber Co., carport at 511 N. Third St., $468; Carlos Crump, 420 Black St., room and carport, $2,400; and Dr. B. T. Moudy, add a wall at his office, $275.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	8.3	—.8
Cape Girardeau	32	15.3	—.6
New Madrid	34	16.1	+.2
Caruthersville	32	16.9	+.3

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .3 Wednesday; fall .5 Thursday; and fall .3 Friday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .7 Wednesday; fall .4 Thursday; and fall .5 Friday.

At New Madrid the river will rise .2 Wednesday; fall .5 Thursday; and remain steady Friday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .2 Wednesday; rise .2 Thursday; and fall .4 Friday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	21.4	+.1
Paducah	39	17.8	—.4
Grand Chain	42	25.0	+.2
Cairo	40	24.7	+.2

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .5 Wednesday; fall .9 Thursday; and fall .5 Friday.

At Paducah the river will fall .1 Wednesday; rise .3 Thursday; and fall .6 Friday.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will fall .5 Wednesday; remain steady Thursday; and fall 1.0 Friday.

Dozer damaged by vandals

A bulldozer being used to clean out a drainage ditch east of Interstate 55 was reportedly damaged over the weekend when someone apparently tried to start the machine and damaged a gasoline engine used to start the machine's main engine.

Harrison and Spalding Co. of Benton, owner of the equipment, reported the vandalism to the Scott County sheriff's office Monday. An estimate of the damage was not available.

The machine had been left near the work site Friday afternoon, and a workman discovered the damage Monday and reported it to the owners.

The Niagara Power Project of the Power Authority of the State of New York, with a capability of 2,400,000 kilowatts, is the largest in the Western World, The World Almanac says. Most of this huge capacity comes from the Robert Moses Niagara Power Plant whose 13 generators have a rating of 1,950,000 kilowatts and the 12 generating units of the Lewiston Pump Generating Plant which have a nominal rating of 240,000 kilowatts.

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31, and the lease was not renewed at Monday night's meeting.

"It costs the city $1,800 per year," Mayor Willis Conner said, "and nobody parks there. At most, we got $8 per month in revenue."

A motion not to renew the lease passed without objection.

The lease on the city swimming pool held by the Dexter Jaycees also has expired, and the Jaycees did not desire to renew it.

"The swimming pool is in terrible shape," Alderman Eldon Cooper told the board. "There are holes knocked in the ceiling, the hot water in the showers doesn't work, leaks are everywhere and tiles are knocked off the pool. It looks terrible."

The council decided it did not have the time to run the pool and asked the mayor to talk with the park board about taking over the maintenance and running of the pool, then to report his findings at the next council meeting.

A lease was approved granting Dexter attorney C. H. Parsons Jr. 25 feet of parking area from the city at $200 per year for five years.

The action will displace at least two parking meters, but Conner said the city would make more money from the lease than it makes from the meters.

Parsons originally wanted to buy the city land but, after consultation with his contractor, abandoned the idea as being too costly.

In other action, the city decided to pay half the cost for removal of a tree on Sassafras Street since it is located mainly on city property. The cost to the city would be $75.

Mary Margaret Poyner was appointed acting city clerk by the council during the absence of City Clerk George McCracken who suffered a stroke while en route home from Memphis on a bus. McCracken now is reported in serious condition at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis.

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offered for two hours of credit by the university as a history workshop (US 851). No prerequisites are demanded. The minimum of $32.00 ($16.00 per semester hour) will cover enrollment costs.

Charles Sharp, assistant professor of history, and William Seidensticker associate professor philosophy, will serve as supervisors of the course. Only two class meetings will be scheduled -- at mid-term and at the end of the course. Most of the course work is designed to be done at home, although informal discussions will be scheduled at the request of the enrollees.

The first article in the 18 - part series will be Columbus Discovers Utopia, by Robert C. Elliott, University of California, San Diego, professor of literature and author of The Shape of Utopia, the Power of Satire and other books.

The next three articles under the general title of The New World as Utopia will be by Winthrop Jordan, University of California, Berkeley, professor of history, and author of White Over Black.

The next four articles, Visions of Virtue, Battle in Babylon: Aspiration and Actuality in the Age of the American Revolution, will be by Michael Kammen, American history professor at Cornell, and author of People of Paradox, Empire and Interest and other books.

William Goetzman, Stiles professor of American Studies, University of Texas, will write four articles under the title of Progress and Perplexity: Institutional Adventuring in Nineteenth Century America. He is author of Exploration and Empire and When the Eagle Screamed.

Four articles, entitled Testing of the Images, will be written by Jay Martin, professor of English and comparative literature at University of California, Irvine. He is author of Harvests of Change: American Literaure 1865-1914; Nathaniel West and other books.

The last two articles will be by Robert Penn Warren, noted author (All the King's Men and many others) and professor of English at Yale. His general topic will be Reflections on the Record. Warren holds two Pulitzer prizes -- for fiction and poetry.

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purposes." And he said, "our government had no involvement whatsoever" in the coup that toppled the Chilean regime.

On other topics, Ford said:

—"The United States is not going to have a depression. The over-all economy of the United States is strong. Employment is still high. We do have the problem of inflation," which he said he hoped would be solved.

—Within the next few days, presumably when he addresses the United Nations General Assembly in New York on Wednesday, he hopes to announce "a very major decision" involving humanitarian food aid to other countries.

—"A person's income tax return is a very precious thing to that individual and, therefore, I am about to issue an executive order that makes it even more restrictive as to how those returns can be handled" within government.

—The President has "several people in mind" to replace resigning staff chief Alexander M. Haig Jr., who is becoming military commander of NATO, and hopes to name a new press secretary to replace J.F. terHorst, who quit in protest against the Nixon pardon, "in a relatively short period of time."

Ford said he is getting health reports on Nixon from day to day, but "I don't think I am at liberty to give any information from those reports I have received."

Woman injured in accident

POPLAR BLUFF — A Poplar Bluff woman received minor injuries in a one- car accident at 9:28 a.m. today on Highway 142 two miles south of town.

Myrtle Matthews, 66, of Poplar Bluff was injured when a car driven by T. Alvin Wilcutt, 76, of Poplar Bluff backed from a driveway and ran off the road.

She was taken to Poplar Bluff Hospital.

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